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ANNUAL COUNTY FAIR

Fifty-Third Exhibition of the Agricultural Society.

CONDITIONS ARE PERFECT.

Fine Exhibits, Good Weather Promised, a Host of Attractions on the Grounds and Noted Speakers Coming, Insure a Big Fair.

The fifty-third annual exhibition of the Bradford County Agricultural society is in full swing at the East Towanda fair grounds. Today will, as usual, be the "big day" for attendance.

The 148 individual exhibitors have entered in the various classes almost every conceivable product of the farms of Bradford county, the stock for which it is so justly famed and the utensils of use and luxury found on the majority of them. All that is needed is the good weather that has been promised and the big crowds that will surely respond to the attractions provided for the three days to make the fair of 1905 a record breaker. The first thing to do at the fair is to visit the buildings and see the stock, and later take in the attractions.

The Agricultural Building.

The agricultural building, of which C. J. Eastabrook is superintendent, presents a sight to gladden the heart of any man, whether he be farmer or not. Here are exhibited dairy and farm products in profusion, the most notable single entry being that of Wysauking Grange, No. 58, which occupies one-fourth the space in the building. It is a magnificent display of almost every product of a Bradford county farm and is entered to compete under the head of "largest and best collection of farm produce."

Of the individual exhibitors in this building the honey display of C. B. Eastabrook is notable; he also displays 40 varieties of potatoes and 64 varieties of grains, and seeds grown on his farm at Allis Hollow.

There are many individual exhibitions of produce among which are especially noted mammoth roots and splendid corn. The display of canned fruits, pickles, etc., is choice, but not so large as in some previous years. The butter and cheese display is small. In this building are shown the cream separators of the Vermont Farm Machine Co.

The Domestic Building.

The domestic building, Wm. H. Smith superintendent, is not so well filled in all departments as in some previous years, but the articles exhibited are very evidently high class and make a fine showing. The display of flowers is fine and the art work, while small in quantity, more than makes up in quality. In this building is located M. C. Wells's display of pianos, organs and sewing machines.

In a corner of this building is an educational exhibit from the West Wysox or Laning school, of which Miss Ordelia Bull is the teacher. A number of finely drawn and colored maps of county, state and grand divisions are shown, one a map of Europe by a girl of ten, that is quite remarkable, and others by pupils of 12 to 13 years. Ten copy books form a part of this school's exhibit.

Dye & Bresee's Exhibit.

An exhibit that will attract the attention of every woman who goes on the grounds fills the Dye & Bresee Hardware Company's building to the doors. It is their magnificent showing of Sterling ranges and heaters, World Sterling heaters, Jewell ranges, heaters and Oak heaters, non-rust tinware, kitchen utensils, etc. On Thursday the bread baking exhibit will be given, when a barrel of Dayton flour will be baked into bread in a Sterling range with less than one hod of coal. In this building is located a pay station of the Independent telephone.

Under the Grand Stand.

The Spalding Hardware company has the first place under the grand stand as you enter from the north. As usual this well known house has a splendid exhibit. Included in its set of sparkling heating things are Garland and Andes heaters, Andes and Dockash ranges, tinware, nickleware and enamelled ware. The exhibit is in charge of William M. Spalding and Francis H. Johnson. J. V. Peck of the Michigan Stove company and J. W. Barker of the Phillips and Clark Stove company are here again. They have visited Bradford county fairs for a number of years representing stove houses and have a host of friends around the county.

A. D. Hatch is the next exhibitor in this building. He shows a nice line of robes, blankets and harnesses including of the latter a number of especially fine specimens. The Scranton Correspondence school has the booth next to Mr. Hatch and will have an exhibit of that famous school's work and prospectuses. G. W. Robinson of Allis Hollow represents the National Cream Separator company and has one of the machines on exhibition.

Smith Bros. and Rooker & Ruggles have a joint exhibit, the former of furniture and the latter of rugs. Smith Bros. show a complete dining room set and a complete bedroom set. Both are handsome. They also show sectional book cases, chairs, tables, etc. Rooker & Ruggles show a line of their excellent rugs. They also show a case of fine hats. Miss Mary Dalton is in charge of the exhibit and Randolph Smith that of Smith Bros.

The well known house of D. T. Evans has its usual roomy place under the grand stand. They show carpets, rugs, coats and suits, furs and dry goods. This is a splendid collection of goods and will receive lots of attention from the lady patrons of the fair. The exhibit makes a decidedly pleasing appearance. It is in charge of W. T. Winter and J. J. Lynch.

In this same building E. W. Conklin & Son of Binghamton show recleaned grass seed and G. Hartmann of South Norwalk, Conn., has wire jewelry for sale.

Fine Wagon Display.

James Bennett and E. Doane, the two Towanda wagon dealers, each has a fine exhibit on the grounds, opposite the grand stand on the east side. Each dealer has an individual tent. Mr. Doane has the north position with a handsome exhibit of harnesses, robes, blankets and wagons. Mr. Bennett carries the same line of goods and the attractive exhibit of wagons is made still more so by the display of a number of fine robes on them. The wagon display is worth seeing.

The Poultry Exhibit.

The poultry exhibit is not nearly as large as in some years. It was expected that the famous Exmore farm at Lebanon would send its fowls but it did not do so. While the exhibit lacks in numbers an examination discloses some valuable chickens. Hawes & Norconk, a Towanda firm of young men, have about 100 fowls entered. They include some fine ones. They also show fox terriers which they breed. F. I. Bradford of Sylvania shows about 100 pair and has some fine looking stock. Turkeys, ducks and geese with a few pets make up the exhibit in the poultry building. A pen of fox hounds in this building is a pretty sight.

Farm Machinery.

There is quite a bunch of farm machinery on the grounds. Elmer Osborne of Athens represents the International Harvester company and has two gasoline engines and a manure spreader on exhibition. J. E. Daugherty of Mercur shows the Empire grain drill, Dye & Bresee show a lot of plows, cultivators, harrows, etc. R. L. Bevan has on exhibition a Westinghouse farm engine which makes a fine showing. William King is superintendent of machinery.

Some Minor Buildings.

The ladies of the Methodist church have the dining room privilege this year and occupy the regular dining hall near the Dye & Bresee building. They will serve meals during the entire fair The price is 25 cents each and a good square meal can be guaranteed. Llewellyn Harris has the ice cream parlor and it is fixed up in very attractive shape. Pretty decorations and nicely arranged tables make a parlor which any store might be proud of. C. E. McCracken has the checking privilege. He has a large tent near the entrance to the main thoroughfare of the grounds just to the west of the merry-go-round.

Many Side Shows Here.

Speaking of the merry-go-round calls to mind that this year's fair has more side show attractions than ever before. They are everywhere. Some of the managers of the shows were not pleased with the locations given them but they had to rest content as there was not good room for all. There will be a pandemonium of noises from the various barkers and there will be fun galore on "The Midway," "The Pike," "The Trail," or whatever you may wish to call the place where you cut loose from business and enjoy the shows and the crowds who visit them.

Cattle, Horses, Sheep and Swine.

C. W. Stevens is the superintendent of horses. There is not as large an exhibit as in some years but what there is looks well. There is a big exhibit of young horses. The Nichols Horse company exhibits a fine large black coach stallion. Marquis de Fleurs, the famous Belgian stallion owned by Wysox parties, attracts lots of attention. It is stabled in one of the buildings in the row near the lower end of the grounds. There are a number of race horses in the red buildings on the east side of the grounds.

No very large herds of cattle are exhibited but there are some fine specimens among those shown. F. D. Kerrick of Durell shows 12 head of Shorthorns, H. M. Lyon & Son of Spring Hill have 13 head of Holsteins on exhibition, L. O. and F. P. Vannoy of East Troy have 16 head of registered Jerseys. C. J. Eastabrooks of Allis Hollow has a big Holstein bull on exhibition. Robert Templeton is superintendent of the cattle department.

The exhibition of swine is not large, but there is an unusually large showing of sheep. J. G. Kerrick of Durell, shows 16 Shropshire sheep and Chester and O. I. C swine. W. H. Rockwell of Ulster has a big show-

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HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Annual Meeting Held Last Saturday in Towanda.

REPORT OF YEAR'S PROGRESS.

Officers Elected For the Year—Judge Faning and A. T. Lilley Gave Much Appreciated Addresses—Museum Feature Has Several Additions.

The annual meeting of the Bradford County Historical society was held on Saturday afternoon. Secretary Heverly read a list of recent donations to the society and then gave his report for the year. The museum has been greatly enlarged by the collections of J. V. Geiger and Frank B. Lyke. The log house has been erected, portraits of General Madill, General McKean, Captain Ingham and others secured. A. T. Lilley has contributed a valuable collection illustrating the geological formations of the county.

The library feature of the society is not as strong as would be wished but a number of books have been presented, among the most valuable of which is a set of war records given by Hon. James H. Codding of New York city, formerly of Towanda. The meetings have been largely attended and the papers and addresses have been exceedingly interesting and valuable. Over 500 persons have visited the log house and these persons come from eight different states.

Treasurer Edward L. Smith reported a balance of $47.98 in the treasury. There was a balance of $152.69 last year and receipts brought the total up to $455.84. The chief expenditure for the year has been that for new cases and labor and material for other purposes.

President E. J. Ayers appointed the following committee to nominate officers for the ensuing year: G. T. Ingham, John A. Biles and H. W. McCraney. This committee reported upon the following who were elected by a viva voce put by Hon. A. C. Fanning:

President, Colonel E. J. Ayers; first vice president, A. T. Lilley; second vice president, H. W. McCraney; secretary, C. F. Heverly; financial secretary, Ida K. Layton; treasurer, E. L. Smith; librarian, Mrs. Simon Rendall.

Appreciate Secretary's Work.

Hon. C. S. Russell stated that the work of the secretary of the society had grown so that it was a burden to ask anyone to do it without some compensation. A motion by him that hereafter the secretary be paid $50 a year was carried. Mr. Russell commended the energetic work done by C. F. Heverly, the present efficient secretary and said that much of the success of the society was due to his efforts. He also moved a vote of thanks for Mr. Heverly's gift of the bound volumes of the Bradford Star from its inception to the year 1904. A vote of thanks was also extended to those who have made recent contributions to the society.

Little Miss Helen Marks sang a much appreciated song, accompanied by her sister, Miss Rose Marks, and a little later on the program sang "Teasing." Judge Faning was called on for remarks. He praised the secretary for his work and gave an informal talk on some of the men who have gone out from Bradford county and become famous in the life of the country at large. These men represent all the great departments of business and public life and their recital gives an astonishing record of which any resident of the county may well be proud. Judge Fanning spoke entertainly of Chester Thomas, who went from Canton to Topeka, Kan., and became a leader in the politics of that state. He also paid a neat tribute to Captain J. Andrew Wilt, who, after shouldering a musket in the Rebellion at the early age of 15, was now department commander of the Grand Army of the Repubic for the state of Pennsylvania.

The meeting was then adjourned to the upper room where A. T. Lilley of LeRoy, the best informed geology student of Bradford county, gave a talk on the formations of this section. Mr. Lilley has a case filled with specimens and his talk was illustrated by them. An examination of these curios gives an interesting impression of the former ages in this section and some of fossils are exceptionally good.

Young Husband Killed.

Harry Eyer of Nescopeck, a brakeman on the Pottsville divison of the Pennsylvania railroad, died Saturday night from the effects of a crushed skull received the previous week by being struck by an overhead bridge. The death of Eyer comes as an awful shock to his bride of but a few weeks.

To Prosecute Grafters.

Hon. L. T. Hoyt of Athens has gone to Coudersport where he is to prosecute the alleged grafting officials. He was appointed under an act which gives that power when it is considered expedient that some one outside the regular district attorney shall represent the prosecution.

PRICES PAID FOR JAIL BOARD IN 59 COUNTIES.

Some Statistics Secured by Hon. Frank N. Moore.

Hon. F. N. Moore of North Orwell, and others interested in the subject, have recently been circulating petitions asking that a reduction be made in the price of 40 cents per day now being paid for feeding jail prisoners in this county. Through Secretary of Agriculture Critchfield the rate paid for similar service in 59 of the 67 counties of the state has been secured. These figures show that an average of almost exactly 32 cents per day is paid for feeding jail prisoners in these counties, and it is fair to assume that the rate in the eight counties not heard from would average about the same.

In five counties represented a prison commission is in operation, and in these the cost of boarding prisoners runs from 6 6-7 cents to 10 cents per day. In Allegheney county the rate of 27 88-100 cents per day includes the total cost of maintenance. In Schuylkill county the rate of 9 3-10 cents for boarding includes the prison warden's table as well. In Philadephia county the rate of 43 cents per day includes all maintenance, salaries, light, heat, etc.

In Columbia county the rate is 25 cents per day, and 75 cents per month for washing. In Cumberland and Franklin counties the rate is 25 cents for regular prisoners and 9 cents per day for vagrants. In Juniata county 37½ cents per day; illegal train riders 30 cents. Bradford county is the only one reported as working jail prisoners on a stone pile.

These are the figures furnished by the department at Harrisburg:

Adams 35, Allegheney 27 88-100, Armstrong 25, Beaver 25, Bedford 25, Berks 13½, Blair 35, Bradford 40, Bucks 25, Butler 50, Cambria 25, Cameron 50, Carbon 45, Centre 25, Chester 8 7-10, Clearfield 25, Columbia 25, Crawford 25, Cumberland 25, Dauphin has three classes of prisoners and three rates—15, 20 and 25 cents, Elk 50, Erie 39 2-7, Fayette 30, Forest 50, Franklin 25, Fulton 25, Greene 25, Huntingdon 40, Indiana 50, Jefferson 50, Juniata 37½, Lancaster 10, Lawrence 50, Lebanon 25, Luzerne 10, Lycoming 35, McKean 25, Mercer 40, Mifflin 40, Monroe 25, Montgomery 6 6-7, Montour 35, Perry 33, Philadelphia 43, Pike 40, Potter 25, Schuylkill 9 3-10, Snyder 50, Somerset 25, Sullivan 35, Susquehanna 50, Tioga 25, Union 50, Venango 40, Warren 32½ Washington 25, Wayne 50, Westmoreland 25, York 30.

The counties not reported are Clarion, Clinton, Delaware, Lackawanna, Lehigh, Northampton, Northumberland and Wyoming.

Tempting Providence.

Cupid, poor little fellow, has, according to words of some of the young ladies in Coudersport, a most difficult task before him. One in which they say he will meet his Waterloo, for they have decided to steel their hearts against the machinations of mankind in general—and they will not marry. The young ladies have formed an organization to be known as the "Wont Marry Club," and it is expected that each member will remain true to the by-laws. In case any member does marry she must give a banquet to the other ladies.

Rev. W. H. Sawtelle's Resignation.

At the meeting of the Presbytery of Lackawanna at Canton last week, Rev. W. H. Sawtelle, for many years pastor of the Athens Presbyterian church, asked that the pastoral relation existing with the church be dissolved. This request was granted and resolutions of regret were adopted. It is understood that Mr. Sawtell's resignation will take effect on Nov. 1. Mr. Sawtelle was chosen a commissioner to attend the synod which will meet at Greensburg, Pa.

Tapped the Wrong Pipe.

Workmen employed by the gas company at Luzerne borough toreup the pavement for the purpose of tapping a gas pipe. They reached what they thought was the right pipe, but to their consternation found they had put a hole in a crude oil pipe of the United States Pipe Line. The oil flowed out in a big stream, filling the excavation and overflowing the pavement before it could be plugged.

Public Spirit Frustrated.

After the citizens of Williamsport had responded nobly to the call for funds to provide a tablet for the unmarked grave of A. Boyd Cummings, the man who gave Brandon park to the city, a niece of Mr. Cummings now comes to the front with a qualified refusal to allow the public or anyone else to interfere with the cemetery lot where it was desired to place the monument.

Thurston—Thompson.

Curtis F. Thurston of Athens and Miss Lydia Thompson, were married at the home of the bride's parents in Walton, N. Y., Wednesday of last week in the presence of the immediate relatives and a few intimate friends. Miss Belle Lantz of Athens was bridesmaid and Miss Elfa Heath, also of Athens, played the wedding march.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION

Twentieth Annual Session Held at East Smithfield.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC GATHERING.

Union Was Organized Nineteen Years Ago at Troy Mrs. Mrs. N. L. Bird. This Years Convention Was Well Attended—Report of the Business.

The twentieth annual convention of the Bradford County Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held last Thursday and Friday in the Baptist church in East Smithfield. Nineteen years ago this county was organized by Mrs. N. L. Bird. The first meeting of the organization was held in the Universalist church in Troy. Three of the five general officers then elected were present at this convention, and are still engaged in the work. Mrs. N. L. Bird who was president for 16 years, Mrs. L. T. Adam corresponding secretary during Mrs. Bird's presidency and now vice president at large and Mrs. Peleg Peck of Troy who was the first recording secretary. There were but five present at this convention that were present at the organization of the county.

The convention was a splendid success from start to finish. Delegates were present from 21 of the 24 organizations in the county. Fully 100 delegates and visitors were in attendance and were entertained by the people of Smithfield.

Mrs. Louise S. Rounds gave the address of the convention Thursday evening. She is one of the most forcible and logical speakers there is on the American platform. Her subject was "Opened Eyes." She gave facts, figures and logic enough to open the eyes of those who would see, that the liquor traffic is the most demoralizing thing on earth, and that it is the duty of every citizen, to help to tear up the accursed thing. Her wit was simply irresistable, and her logic convincing.

The business of the convention was discharged as rapidly as possible. Reports were given or read from every one of the 17 department superintendents. Not a report or item of business was left out. Some of the special features was the beautiful singing of Miss Ruth Palmer, and Miss Clara B. Kelly both of Athens, and the fine address of Mrs. Estabrook also of Athens. Mrs. Estabrook's subject "The Liquor Traffic and Foreign Minimum" was one that she seemed perfectly familiar with. She gave facts and figures in a clear forcible manner, and aroused her hearers to real enthusitsm with her earnest manner, and beautiful consecration to the Master's service.

The crowning feature of the convention was the Grand Gold Medal contest, which was held Friday evening. Only those having won both silver and gold medals in the previous contest were allowed to compete for the Grand Gold. There were five contestants, all having on the two medals already won. The contestants were C. A. Carey of Milan now a student in Cazenovia Seminary, Mrs. Harriett Sherman of Columbia X Roads, Mrs. Grace Rice of Canton, Miss Mayme Horton of Sheshequin now teaching near Wellsburg and Mrs. Winifred Campbell of Athens. The medal was awarded to Mr. Carey. All deserved honorable mention, and Athens was justly proud of their representative. Mrs. Nina Rice recited while the judges were out and scored her usual triumph.

All of the general officers were re-elected to serve another year except the recording secretary and Mrs. F. L. Estabrook of East Athens was chosen to succeed Mrs. L. E. Porter of Canton. A few changes were made in the Superintendents of departments and two new ones added, namely prison and jail work and Sunday school work.

There are twenty-three organizations in the county, and 600 active members and a large number of honorary members. Athens is still the banner union having 144 paid members. Mrs. Norrish will represent Bradford county in the National convention to be held in Los Angeles, California the last of October.

No Football Saturday.

The football game scheduled for Saturday afternoon between the Towanda High school and the Monroeton elevens did not materialize for the very good reason that Monroeton failed to put in an appearance.

Russell—Gernert.

At the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal church in this borough on Wednesday, Sept. 20, Dr. O. A. Houghton, the pastor, united in marriage Milton L. Russell and Lizzie J. Gernert, both of East Smithfield.

Took Officer's Boat.

Some one who doesn't give a rap for a detective nor his prowess stole Constable Guy C. Hollon's boat on Friday night. The officer has not succeeded in locating the craft or its thief.

Buyers read the Reporter-Journal.

DOINGS OF THE COURTS.

Sentences Imposed, Prisoners Taken to the Pen, Etc.

Sheriff S. F. Robinson and Turnkey Frank Jennings went to Philadelphia Friday, taking with them Thomas Daines of Sayre and "Flip" Vanderpool. Daines was sentenced to fifteen years in the Eastern penitentiary for an outrage committed upon a young girl and "Flip" got a year and nine months for larceny.

Charles R. Carey of Milan was on Friday sentenced in court to a fine of $10, costs of prosecution and two months in the county jail for assault and battery committed on his wife and also to pay costs and give bonds in a surety of the peace case preferred by his wife.

An Athens man by the name of Corneby was brought to jail on Thursday night to serve out a 30 day sentence metted out by an Athens justice. Corneby is now behind the court house cracking stone with the best of them.

The jury in the suit of the National Oil burner and Equipment Co. vs. G. L. VanScoten, returned a verdict for the plaintiff of $447. VanScoten is proprietor of a brickyard at Athens, and the action was to recover for machinery sold him.

The jury in the case of Clement Ill, Jr., vs. Riley Race on Friday at 6:30 reported a disagreement and were discharged by the court.

The trial of this case, which was to determine the boundary line between the lands of the parties in Terry township, and involves about one acre of land, was taken up on Tuesday morning, Sept. 19. The case was given to the jury on Wednesday forenoon of last week, and they struggled with the problem unti Friday night, something over two days and a half. This was the second trial of the suit, a verdict for the plaintiff having been rendered on the first trial at September term, 1902.

A hearing was had before Judge Fanning Monday morning in the matter of the incorrigibleness of James Wesley Chilson. The boy is alleged to be beyond control of his father, Warren Chilson, who is a blind man, and the evidence was to this effect. Judge Fanning sent the boy to the House of Refuge.

In the suit of Chandler vs. the Lehigh Valley Railroad company a rule for new trial has geen granted.

C. F. Moore vs. Ella Welsh et al. Rule granted to put in abstract of title.

Louis J. Schrier vs. Josephine Schrier. Divorce decreed.

Elizabeth Tidd Barnes vs. Thomas Barnes. Divorce decreed.

Married By Justice Meredith.

John Morrow and Sarah Chilson, both residing in the vicinity of Rummerfield, were married in Towanda on Sept. 16 by Justice Meredith.

Subpoena in Divorce.

A subpoena in divorce has been awarded in the case of Electa Conklin vs. William Conklin. The parties reside in Troy borough.

FROM NEARBY PLACES

What is Occurring in Many Towns Hereabouts.

TWO NEW HOTELS AT SAYRE.

Reported That They Will Be Erected at That Place Soon—Troy Athletes at Yale University, at New Haven. Canton Couple Wedded.

The population of Binghamton city is 42,040.

The Sayre schools have a registration of 1,202 pupils.

Dushore needs more dwelling houses for renting purposes.

The Central New York Methodist Episcopal conference meets in Elmira this week.

It is reported that two new hotels will be erected in Sayre within a short time.

At the Mansfield fair on Wednesday of last week, Troy defeated Arnot by a score of 2 to 0.

The output of the Sayre plant of the Cayuta Wheel and Foundry company is to be largely increased.

The last shipment of steel for the new state bridge at Ulster has been received. Painters are at work on the structure.

The attendance at the Wyalusing fair on Thursday is estimated at 3,000, the largest in the history of the association.

Rev. W. E. Clark has resigned the pastorate of the New Albany Baptist church and will engage in mission work and study in New York city.

George Pettes, youngest son of J. C. Pettes of East Orwell, recently had the misfortune to break his right arm at the wrist while playing ball at school.

Peaches were sold at such ridiculous low price in Waverly Thursday that the board of health stopped the sale of one car on account of being too ripe.

E. Burton Parsons, Jr., and Judson Parson of Troy have left for New Haven, Conn., where the former is this year a junior at Yale, the latter entering this year.

Allan W. Burr and Miss Mae Pearl McCaslin, both of Canton, were united in marriage Friday evening at 7 o'clock by the Rev. C. C. Crawford, at the parsonage at Elmira.

Frederick C. Platt, cashier of the Tioga National bank at Owego, celebrated his 86th birthday on Thursday. He is at his post of cashier every day, and last year completed 50 years service as deacon in the Presbyterian church.

Eleven head of cattle on the Jos. Seeley farm in Rome township were last week tested for tuberculosis by Dr. R. G. Rice and all found free from that disease. The farm and herd are owned by E. B. Rought of Leota, Mich.

D. T. EVANS

NEW DRESS GOODS

IN ANNOUNCING our new Fall and Winter Line of Dress Goods we wish to call your attention to a few of the season's most popular sellers in which our stock is exceptionally strong.

Black Goods

of all kinds. The best assortment we have ever shown. A complete line of

Broadcloths

including the new Drap Chiffon Broadcloth. Plain and Fancy

Mohairs, Storm Serges, Surah Serges, India Twills, Cheviots, Panamas, Batistes and Henriettas.

Also a fine assortment of the Popular Plaid Effects in the

Light Grey Suitings

now so much in vogue for suits and separate skirts.

... SILKS ...

plain, changeable, fancy for waists, suits, coats.

D. T. EVANS

Not all countries are so favored, but it is a fact that there are parts of Illinois and Iowa where sixty bushels of corn may be found growing to the acre and down a hundred feet miners are taking out coal which nets the owner of the farm $400 per acre royalty. This comes as near to eating the cake and having it, too, as any agricultural proposition we have ever come across.

If one can find the right kind of a hired man for the farm—a careful, thoughtful, industrious fellow who will take proper care of stock and tools—a matter of $2 or $3 a month in the wages should not be considered. Such men, especially where much stock is kept, are simply invaluable, for the careless man can by careless practices easily cost the man who employs him twice the amount of his monthly wage.

We noted an old lady the other day busily engaged in gathering wild grapes from vines which she had trained along a barbed wire fence on the side of a grainfie'd. She had a large basket full of this delicious jelly fruit and was gathering it with the greatest ease. It suggested a very useful purpose to which wire fences might be put, for if they do not form a support for grapes they are sure to carry creepers and bindweed.

A Montana stockman related to us recently some of the troubles which beset his business. He said that four years ago he made a shipment of 790 horses intended for an eastern market, that the road which accepted the consignment kept these horses for 107 hours without water during the heat of August weather and that when they were unloaded and watered 365 of them died inside of thirty minutes, while the rest were utterly ruined. A suit is pending to recover the value of the horses, which were simply slaughtered by the company in direct violation of the law which requires stock to be unloaded, fed and watered every twenty-eight hours.

We stood as near to the track as we dared the other day and watched the passing of a fast mail train—four mail cars trailing behind one of these modern fast engines, eating up a mile of track every minute and leaving a trail of black smoke and newspapers behind it. It is probable that nothing which the inventive genius of man has evolved so well represents the triumph of modern civilization as this fast mail train. A few tons of cheap soft coal, water which is as plentiful as air, a mechanism of a marvelous sort in steel, a Vulcan to feed the greedy demon and a man with nerve of still finer steel to guide it. Up and down the grades, indifferent to the winds and the storms, never halting on its wild chase, it makes the west a mere suburb of the great city of the lakes. Hats off to the fast mail!

Poorly built haystacks appeal on nearly every farm for a better knowledge of how to build a good haystack. This seems to be almost a lost art. A case is this where a man had fifteen acres of as fine clover hay as we ever saw cut. There was none too much hay to make one good stack, but he put the crop in seven stacks scattered all over the field. Moreover, he built them broad and low and topped them off flat. Of course we can all guess just what happened—the rains came and wet the stacks from top to bottom and just about spoiled the crop. This crop should have been all put into one stack, should have been built high and well topped out with wild hay. Then this man would have had a stack of fine hay next winter. With the modern hay derrick and hayfork there is absolutely no excuse whatever for this sort of work.

We want to say a word about buying seed corn away from home. None of our cereal grains is as responsive to the question of latitude as corn. Differently from wheat or oats, it adapts itself to different degrees of latitude by enlarging or contracting its growth and development. The farther south it is grown the longer the season will it take to mature and the taller will the stalk grow, while the farther north it is grown the smaller and shorter will be the stalk and ear until we reach a point of north latitude where, if planted, it will only produce a little scrubby fodder and no ear at all. Now, there is a constant temptation for the corn grower of the north country to be trying to grow the corn of the south country, and we have never yet known anything but failure to result from the experiment; therefore it is all right to get seed corn from the country north of you and hardly ever right to get it from that south of you, and right here we will say that even so small a distance as 150 miles of latitude will often make the difference between a well matured crop and one of soft ears. Usually a type of corn which has done well in any locality is the best type to select seed from, for it is sure that more improvement can be made in this crop by selection from corn well adapted to its environment than by the importation of any new varieties from other sections of the country.

Through nearly all of the northwest grain producing territory the pleasing condition prevails this season of a good crop, good weather to secure it in and a good price for it when sold. This trinity of good things does not often work in conjunction.

Profitable fruit raising consists largely in being able to raise a fair crop of fruit in those years when the crop is short and the price high by the use of fertilizers, spraying and extra care given. The years of large crops of fruits are quite likely to be after all unprofitable crops because of the lack of market and low prices.

That man who has his small grain well stacked and all his fall plowing done by the middle of September has settled one important factor in good farming in a very happy and practical way. It is a pity that so few follow this plan.

Down in a woodland dell by the side of a little creek we came across a large bunch of cardinal flowers the other day—those rare carmine floral beauties which are to vegetation what the cardinal bird is to bird life. The cardinal flower in red, the gentian in blue and the goldenrod in yellow represent nature's best work in these colors.

The great advantage which the town boy has over the city boy lies in the fact that he is taught to work just as soon as he is able, and this is a kind of education which has much to do with making a man of him. The city boy learns to loaf instead of learning how to work, and it is this sort of education which so often proves the undoing of him.

Many a man can find a very interesting object lesson in the unproductive acres on his farm. Nearly every man will find that he has more or less acres which produce little or nothing year after year and that the burden of crop production on his farm is confined to only a part of his land. These unprofitable acres may be marsh and should be tile drained, or they may be brush acres, when the brush should be removed and a chance given for the grass to grow and make pasture, or they may be hillsides too steep for cultivation and should be set to growing trees.

For all of the country north of the fortieth degree of latitude Oct. 15 should be adopted as "seed corn day," the day especially set apart to go into the fields and secure the supply of seed corn needed for planting for the next year. On this day the corn should be gathered and hung up to dry and when dry be placed in either attic or cellar, where frost will never reach it during the winter. This day could well be made a farm holiday and all hands, father, mother, children and hired men, all contribute to the doing of this one of the most important things connected with farming in the great corn belt. Remember the date, Oct. 15, and see that this job is attended to. This done there need be no worry about poor seed corn next May, or any fields to be seen with only half a stand of corn or worse.

We are asked how to make a certain quarter section more productive. It is of naturally good soil, has been skinned by tenant farmers for several years, does not know what a dairy cow or a clover plant looks like, has some wet spots which, while cropped, usually grow nothing but weeds. If we owned the farm we would do this: Would look for a good tenant who would take the farm for five or ten years; would put on it a dairy of twenty-five cows; would tile drain all the wet spots, get forty acres into clover just as soon as possible and would sow twenty acres of clover each year thereafter; would sell no grain or hay from the farm, but instead feed it all out and buy some besides, and just give the cow, the steer, the hog and the hen entire charge of the place. Will guarantee this plan to double the present income.

A pretty good and up to date farmer made this complaint to us the last of August: He said that he had joined a thrashing circuit with a lot of his neighbors; that he was well down on the list; that his grain was getting badly bleached with the rains which greatly hindered the work of the machine; that his two three-horse teams were standing idle in the barn when they ought to be at work doing the fall plowing; that the weeds were making a great growth in his stubble fields and needed turning under the worst way; that the little he saved in labor in the matter of thrashing from the shock, instead of stacking the grain, was a mere bagatelle compared with the loss which he sustained in other ways. He has got his eyes open and won't get caught this way any more. There is only just one man who can afford to thrash from the shock, and that is the renter who must get his grain on the market as quickly as possible.

It quite frequently happens that a man finds himself when working for other people in a position where there is a little too much work for one man to do and not enough for two, and it is right here that he will largely settle the question of whether he will be all his life a toiler for others or rise to an independent position and be a boss himself. If, finding that his work is more than should be properly required of him, he hangs back and does just as much as he is paid for and no more, he is quite likely to be a worker for others as long as he lives, while if he bravely tackles the extra work he certainly lays the foundation for future promotion. An employee in a large concern was asked to do a small job. He refused on the ground that it was not a part of his work, that another hand was paid for doing it. In looking for a man to fill a better position this man was passed over, and justly, too. A man's reward for cheerfully doing extra work very often comes in a better place and a higher salary.

WHAT THE COW WILL DO.

We know of a western community, the land rather broken and hilly, but of fairly good quality, where for forty years the farmers have been trying to get a living and save money by raising corn and oats to sell, with the result up to two years ago that they as well as their land had been getting steadily poorer. It came to the point that about twenty bushels of both oats and corn were all they could raise per acre. There were no cows, no clover, no manure spreaders—just oats and corn and corn and oats for a rotation. Nearly every farm carried a good husky mortgage, and whatever comfort the people got had to be obtained from religion, for there was none to be had in an agricultural way. These farms were natural blue grass and clover lands, but some way these people could not appreciate the fact that they had one of the best dairy sections of the west, and so they kept on year after year raising long nosed hogs and corn and buying butter and running up store bills, just getting a little poorer each year. A change came two or three years ago. Some man heard the cow gospel preached and got some cows. He did so well that others took it up until a great agricultural revolution was soon in progress. Today this community is one of the leading dairy and butter producing sections of the west. Less acres of corn are raised, but twice as many bushels to the acre as formerly; everybody sows clover, the people have quit running store bills and pay as they go, the mortgages are looking sick, the soil is getting better and more productive each year, big red barns are showing up all over the country, more and better hogs are raised and, to sum it all up in a sentence, the entire community is being regenerated by the cow. This is an old story—always works this way. Why not try it if in a grain raising, grain selling financial hole? We will give a guarantee that it will work with you as it always has with others. Put twenty cows on the quarter section farm, feed them right and care for them and you will work out your own financial salvation just as thousands of other men have done. "Don't like to milk," you say. Well, then, keep on in the old way, and the settlement of your estate will be a mighty short job for the probate court.

ABOUT INVESTMENTS.

We are asked about safe investments for money. In what can a man invest his surplus so that it will be safe and give a fair interest return? The best thing we can see is good farm land. There are millions of acres of land which will not only pay at least 5 per cent in the way of share products as rent, but which are absolutely certain to increase in value from 25 to 100 per cent inside of fifteen years. These lands are scattered all over the northwest, the southwest and the Pacific slope. Any good land which may be irrigated is certain to be worth $100 an acre when settled and improved, and quite likely much more. Any land which will produce fifty bushels of corn, twenty bushels of wheat, thirty of barley or forty of oats for an average of ten years is also worth $100 an acre. Any land which will grow good crops of blue grass will also pay 5 per cent on such a valuation for meat making and dairy purposes, so if you have money to invest and know of any such lands which can be bought for less money than this it is the best place to put it, for nothing is surer in this world than this, that as our population keeps on increasing, as it is bound to do, and as very much of our heretofore productive acres grow more and more impoverished, as it certainly is doing, the good lands of the country are bound to command a high premium. There are thousands of farms in the newer west now developing, perhaps not yet touched with the plow, which are as an investment worth far more than the best improved lands of the east which represent the toil as well as the soil robbing of a hundred years past. Land does not burn up or blow away; the people will always be hungry and must be fed.

SIMPLICITY IN LIVING.

A study of simplicity in housekeeping would lighten the work of many a tired housewife. There is a great deal of fretting and hard work done in many homes solely with reference to what outsiders will say and think. The social tyrant is a most merciless one, and few women there are who have the nerve to defy it. Still, as between killing one's self in order to placate this tyrant and taking life easier in defiance of what anybody thinks or says, we would just naturally take the easier path and let society chew the rag all it wants to. And, now we are on this subject, we would like to say that because she does not want her daughter to work as hard as she did when a girl and because it involves some little trouble at first to train the daughters to efficiently help in the household work, there is many a mother who not only does her girls a positive injury, but makes her own burdens very much harder to carry. There should be some portion of the work of the home for every member of the household to do and do regularly. We call to mind one mother whose girls were all boys, four of them, and she had so trained these little rascals that there was hardly any kind of housework which they could not do and do well. Yet how few mothers there are who would ever think for a moment of training a boy to be useful domestic help?

One Thing Certain.

"Of course, heat causes metals to expand. There's no doubt of that. Don't you believe it?"

"Well, at any rate, I know that a hot old time doesn't cause a five dollar gold piece to expand to any great extent."—Philadelphia Press.

Setting Him Right.

Husband—Well, madam, you've got your wish—you've married a rich husband. Wife—No, dear, I've married a rich man, but a poor husband.

Ayer's Pills Keep them in the house. Take one when you feel bilious or dizzy. They act directly on the liver. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use **BUCKINGHAM'S DYE** FIFTY CTS. OF DRUGGISTS OR R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N. H.

SPRINGFIELD.

On Sunday, Oct. 8, Rev. Thomas Mitchell will preach his annual sermon at the Baptist church. Singing will be furnished by the old time choir.

The lecture last Wednesday evening by Rev. Mr. Reynolds was well attended. Proceeds to be used toward building a church at Laquin.

Dr. L. B. Gardner went to Elmira one day last week.

Charlie Mattocks has purchased a new road wagon.

Mrs. Thomas Patterson, who has been visiting relatives in this vicinity for a few weeks, returned to her home at Pelham, N. Y., last Saturday.

Miss Ethel Stacy commenced her school at Harkness on Monday of last week.

Erwin Smith of Big Pond, is seriously ill with fever at the home of J. L. Stone.

Ezra and Libbie Bartlett of Berrytown, spent Sunday at Geo. Patterson's.

Covenant meeting was held last Saturday.

BAILEY'S CORNERS.

Max Baxter is slowly improving.

Sallie Putnam, who has been visiting at Towanda, returned home Sunday.

M. H. Rockwell is working for Will Stephens of Granville Summit.

Jesse Peters of Columbia X Roads, has hired out to S. A. Randall and expects to work about a month.

Willett Miller is visiting at Athens for a few days.

N. W. Clark, who has been visiting at Troy, and other places for the last few weeks, returned home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown and daughter of Greenwood, are visiting at Jay Loomis's.

Mr. and Mrs. Hezzie Spencer of Canton, spent Sunday at J. W. Davis's.

COREYLAND.

Miss Olive Wolfe spent last week the guest of friends in Elmira.

Mr. and Mrs. Luman Knapp spent the Sabbath with their aunt, Mrs. G. H. Wolfe.

W. T. Gustin returned from Towanda Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Lorenzo Grinnell left Saturday evening for Milwaukee, Wis., to join her husband, who will meet her in Chicago.

Mrs. Timothy Gustin and Mrs. Frank McClure attended the Elmira fair Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Davies of Troy, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfe at Fairmont Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Gregg were in Elmira Thursday.

Strikes Hidden Rocks,

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you don't get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed at Turner's drug store, price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

EVERGREEN.

Miss Loretta Jackson returned to Towanda monday, after spending a week with her mother.

Misses Leona Terry and Myrtle Corson spent Sunday in this place.

Miss Lillie Hakes visited friends in New Era last week.

Mrs. Angeline Teeter spent Sunday in Monroeton.

Ethel Hakes is quite ill.

Cottage meeting was held at A. J. Wilsen's Sunday.

Joe Covey of Grafton, N. Y., is visiting in this place and New Era.

Mrs. Alice Decker has gone to Meshoppen to visit her daughter, Mrs. Archie Wilcox.

ALBA.

The union meeting held in the Baptist church was largely attended, Rev. Blair, pastor of the Disciple church, preached the evening sermon.

Mrs. Young's three grand children from Sayre, are visiting her; also her daughter from Canton.

Miss Ethel Pearce has returned home, after attending the Mansfield fair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Andrus attended the Brown family reunion at Elmira recently.

The apple crop is reported very light in this section.

Rev. F. W. Reynolds gave a lecture and stereoptican views, in the Baptist church Friday evening, Sept. 22 on things he saw while abroad. Proceeds were for the benefit of the new church at Laquin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Cowles and son Eric have returned from a visit with relatives in Corry, Pa.

School is progressing nicely with Miss Marie Rockwell as teacher.

Mr. Murray's children have recovered from typhoid fever.

A family are moving into Ardell Packard's house, on the Mountain road.

On account of a sore eye, caused by getting paint containing acid in it, J. E. Andrus has been compelled to abandon work for several days but will begin again this week.

Dr. Coughlin is having a fine practice, and making many friends.

Mrs. Crandall is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Andrus.

The Reporter-Journal covers the news of the whole county every week.

POTTERVILLE.

The Ladies' Aid held a pleasant meeting with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beckwith last Thursday. The next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wells in October, date of which will be given later.

Mrs. R. P. Cook entertained Mrs. Williams of Owego, last week.

Mrs. Louie Corbin and mother, Mrs. Matthews, have returned from an extended visit with relatives near Ithaca.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Corbin of Warren Center, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. E. Vanwinkle is again at home after spending several months with her son in New York.

Mrs. F. C. Wheaton entertained relatives from LeRaysville Friday.

WARREN CENTRE.

Potatoes are rotting badly.

Mr. Printzlaw of Philadelphia, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Walter Bowen.

Dr. and Mrs. Tripp spent several days last week at Altoona, N. Y., attending a medical association.

Fred Chaffee and family recently spent a day at Fred Beckwith's at Potterville.

Miss Cora Allyn of Clifton Springs, spent last week here visiting friends.

The funeral of Mrs. Wm. P. Chaffee, formerly of this place, was held at South Owego, and was largely attended, a good many attending from this place. She leaves a husband and one daughter, two sisters, and one brother to mourn her loss; interment in South Owego cemetery.

The Home Mission band will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Corbin the last Thursday in October, for dinner.

C. B. Allen is having his house painted; F. L. Corbin is doing the work.

Startling Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality, from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery, of 1 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and Biliousness." 25c at Turner, the druggist.

MOUNTAIN LAKE.

Mrs. Joel Dibble will entertain the Ladies' Aid society on Thursday, Oct. 5, to which all are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Carman are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Tremaine from Tioga county.

Miss Linnie Nichols called to see her aunt, Mrs. Adelaide Knapp, at Luthers Mills on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Blaksley of Athens, is staying the week with her parents here.

The Misses Irene and Ada Allen are attending school at Luthers Mills.

M. B. Haight, accompanied by his brother Allen from Mainesburg, attended a reunion of the 52nd regiment P. V. held in Tunkhannock Wednesday of last week. They report a right royal time. They were met in Towanda by Comrades E. R. Selleck of Granville, and W. C. May of Towanda, who with Allen Haight as fifer composed the drum corps of Company E, 52nd regiment, that was formed at Mountain Lake in the early sixties.

WARRENHAM.

Mrs. Nathan E. Young and son Robert spent last week in Owego.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dewing visited last Tuesday at W. D. Hall's at Little Meadows.

Sabra Russell spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Ralph Beardslee, last week.

Mrs. Anna Young and Mrs. Nancy B. Young visited at Warren Center Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. R. Morgan Jones returned from Scranton Saturday accompanied by their nephew, John Davis.

LAQUIN.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wooster, Sept. 23, a son.

Mrs. George Wolfanger has returned home after visiting relatives at Glenfield, N. Y.

The fair at the new Baptist church last week was well attended.

Mrs. Michael Rouse visited friends at Sayre last week.

Revival services will begin at the Baptist church Oct. 1, conducted by an evangelist from Michigan.

Miss Reba Warner entertained a party of young friends last Saturday in honor of her thirteenth birthday.

BURLINGTON.

David Swingle of Towanda, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Hannah Swingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cooley and little son are visiting Mr. Cooley's mother at Wilkesbarre.

Mrs. David Rundall of Athens, spent the first of the week with her cousin, Mrs. Rebecca Stanton.

Mrs. Snell and little daughter and Mrs. R. W. Kendall are spending a few days with friends in Athens.

Buyers read the Reporter-Journal.

Lehigh Valley Railroad

In effect May 14, 1905

TRAINS LEAVE TOWANDA AS FOLLOWS

EASTWARD

12:48 a. m., daily, express for Wilkesbarre, Bethlehem, Easton, New York and principa intermediate stations.

7:30 a. m., daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 7:34 a. m.) Local for Wilkesbarre and intermediate stations on main line.

7:35 a. m., daily except Sunday, Washington St. Station 7:40 a. m.) Local for Wilkesbarre and intermediate stations via Bernice with connections for Williamsport.

9:15 a. m, daily, Express for Philadelphia, New York and principal intermediate stations, with connections for Reading and Harrisburg.

10:35 a. m., Sunday only, Local for Tunkhannock and intermediate stations.

1:12 p. m, daily, Limited Express for Philadelphia, New York and principal intermediate stations, with connections for Reading and Harrisburg.

3:38 p. m, daily except Sunday, Black Diamond Expre for Wilkesbarre, Philadelphia and New York.

5:22 p m, daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 5:27 p m,) Local for Wilkesbarre and intermediate stations on main line.

5:30 p. m., daily except Sunday, (Washington St. Station 5:38 p. m.) Local for Bernice, Williamsport and intermediate stations.

WESTWARD

1:30 a m, daily, Limited Express for Rochester, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Detroit, Chicago and the West.

3:11 a m, daily, Express for Buffalo and the West.

10:50 a m, daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 10:40 a m,) Local for Waverly, Elmira, Ithaca, Rochester, Buffalo and intermediate stations.

3:50 p m, Sunday only, Local for Ulster, Milan, Athens and Sayre.

3:02 p m, daily, Local Express to Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Detroit, Chicago and the West.

4:20 p. m., daily, Western Express for Ithaca, Rochester and Buffalo with connections for Niagara Falls, Toronto, Detroit Chicago and the West.

7:26 p m, daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 7:17 p m,) Local for Waverly, Elmira and intermediate stations.

For further particulars apply to local ticke agents. CHAS. S. LEE, General Passenger Agent

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The New Short Line Between Towanda and Williamsport and Between Lehigh Valley R. R. and Pennsylvania R. R.

Time Table Effective June 18 1905.

WESTWARD				EASTWARD.			
a m	a m	p m	STATIONS	p m	p m	p m	
.....	9 50	2 15	Ithaca (L.V.R.R.)	12 40	5 55	.....	
.....	1223	.....	Waverly "	11 40	3 42	8 13	
.....	1250	3 15	Sayre "	11 20	3 30	8 00	
.....	.....	.....	Athens "	11 16	3 25	7 55	
7 15	1 15	3 48	Lv. Towanda Ar	10 00	11 30	6 00	
7 24	1 32	4 02	Monroeton	9 50	11 18	5 50	
7 27	1 37	4 07	Powell	9 46	11 14	5 45	
7 31	1 42	4 11	Weston	9 41	11 09	5 40	
7 38	1 51	4 19	Lomoka	9 33	11 00	5 30	
7 40	1 53	4 21	Long Valley	9 30	10 57	5 27	
7 45	2 00	4 28	Barclay	9 25	10 50	5 20	
7 47	2 03	4 31	East Laquin	9 22	10 47	5 16	
7 51	2 07	4 35	Laquin	9 18	10 43	5 12	
7 59	2 15	4 43	Whalen	9 09	10 34	5 03	
8 07	2 24	4 53	Cold Spring	9 01	10 25	4 53	
8 18	2 35	5 04	Wheelerville	8 48	10 14	4 41	
8 24	2 42	5 12	Ellenton	8 41	10 07	4 33	
8 33	2 51	5 21	Hillsgrove Junct.	8 33	9 59	4 25	
8 45	2 56	5 26	Short Run	8 27	9 53	4 19	
8 52	3 01	5 32	Crandalltown	8 21	9 48	4 14	
9 01	3 10	5 41	Pleasant Stream	8 10	9 39	4 04	
9 29	3 34	6 09	Ralston	8 00	9 30	3 55	
10 50	6 49	.....	Grays Run	6 40	.....	2 40	
10 15	.....	6 50	Williamsport (P.R.	7 10	.....	2 00	
.....	4 03	.....	Canton "	.....	9 05	.....	
.....	4 26	.....	Troy "	.....	8 43	.....	

SUNDAY TRAINS—Sundays only train leave Ralston at 8 a m, connecting with train leaving Williamsport at 7:10, arriving at Towanda 10 a. m. Returning leaves Washington St. at 3:50 arriving Ralston 6:04 and Williamsport 6:50. Train leaves Washington St. at 1:30 a. m., Sundays arriving Laquin at 11:14. Returning leaves Laquin at 2:20, arriving Towanda 3 p. m.

One-way and Excursion Tickets in connection with Pennsylvania R. R. and Lehig Valley R. R. points. S. & N. Y. R. R. passenger trains use the Northern Central Station at Ralston, and the Main Line Upper Station of the Lehigh Valley R. R. at Towanda.

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Miscellaneous.

HIRAM E BULL, County Surveyor. Engineering, Surveying and Drafting. Office in Court House.

Buyers read the Reporter-Journal.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business August 25, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 602,376 68
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		886.73
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000.00
U. S. Bonds on hand		2,460.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		6,820.00
Bonds, securities, etc		108'826.9)
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		16,400.00
Other real estate owned		20,725.00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)		13,721.55
Due from State Banks and Bankers		6,240.19
Due from approved reserve agents		212,504.52
Checks and other cash items		1,9 6 00
Notes of other National Banks		2,572 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		115 40
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$31,176.10	
Legal tender notes	16,410 00	47,586.10
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		6,250.00
Total		$1,174,391 21

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 125,000.00
Surplus fund	$ 60,000.00	
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	13,911.80	73,911 80
National Bank notes outstanding		125,000.00
Due to other National Banks	$ 4,853 31	
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	14.38	
Dividends unpaid	5.00	
Individual deposits subject to check	304,781 96	
Demand certificates of deposit	536,828 91	
Certified checks	3,608 39	
Cashier's checks outstanding	667.46	850,479.41
Total		$1,174,391 21

State of Penna., County of Bradford, ss:

I, U. M. Fell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. U. M. FELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of August, 1905.

H. P. NEWELL, Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 16, 1909.

Correct—Attest:

T. B. JOHNSON, C. T. KIRBY, N. N. BETTS, } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK of Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business Aug. 25, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 614,442.41
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		404.16
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		150,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		6,750.00
Bonds, securities, etc		128,187.50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		30,000.00
Other real estate owned		11,925.00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)		13,664.57
Due from State Banks and Bankers		696.46
Due from approved reserve agents		65,360.79
Checks and other cash items		2,505 23
Notes of other National Banks		1,240.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		335,71
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$ 29,366.50	
Legal tender notes	11,560.00	40,926 50
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		7,500.00
Total		$1,073,858 33

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 150,000.00
Surplus fund		30,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		7,229 46
National Bank notes outstanding		148,000.00
Due to other National Banks		4,131.40
Due to State Banks and Bankers		363.02
Dividends unpaid		15.00
Individual deposits subject to check		320,575.58
Demand certificates of deposit		412,882 38
Cashier's checks outstanding		30.00
Total		691.69
		$1,073,858.33

State of Penna., County of Bradford, ss:

I, J. K. Newell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. K. NEWELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of August, 1905.

L. M. OSBORNE, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 19, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

W. DITTRICH, WM. MAXWELL, B. KUYKENDALL, JR., } Directors.

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PENNSYLVANIA NEWS.

Happenings All Over the State in Condensed Form.

GREAT ATTENDANCE RECORD.

Miss Mary Smion of Reading Never Missed Session of Sunday School. New Dwelling Houses to Be Put Up at West Berwick.

Miss Mary Simon, of Reading, in thirty-three years, has not missed a session of St. Paul's Reformed Sunday school. As a testimonial she was presented with an engrossed set of resolutions.

Richard W. Hettinger, an army clerk, who traveled 13,000 miles from Manila to testify in his $5,000 suit against the city of Reading, was awarded $417 damages by the jury in Civil Court. He sued for injuries received in a bicycle accident seven years ago.

The American Car & Foundry Co. has decided to erect ninety new dwelling houses at West Berwick for the occupancy of its employees. The buildings will cost about $1,200 each. Bids are now being advertised.

Roseto, a village in Lehigh county, will soon become a borough. There are 2,000 Italian slate workers in the village. They have English schools, a Catholic church and a Presbyterian church. If the charter is granted Roseto will be one of the few, if not the only Italian borough in the United States.

In deciding that summons may be served on Labor Day, Judge Martin of Altoona holds that all legal holidays can only be regarded as Sundays as far as regards certain phases of banking and that other business may be transacted.

President Baer of the Reading and Jersey Central railroads said last week that he was in the market for 6,000 freight cars for both roads and that he was waiting to hear from the car manufacturers. Authority to purchase about 3,000 cars for the Jersey Central was given by the directors at a recent meeting.

Frank Dubkansky, a Pole, djed in the hospital at Scranton last week of lockjaw. The trouble originated in a hurt to a finger.

Thirty people out of 45 attending a party near Bloomsburg, were poisoned by eating ice cream. All but three are out of danger.

The mine workers all over the anthracite region are preparing to show their strength by parading on Mitchell Day, in the effort to impress the operators with the fact that the union membership has been greatly increased during the last few months and that the mine workers are practically a unit in their desire for the eight-hour day and a recognition of the union. It is expected that more than 30,000 men will parade at Scranton.

Councilman Thomas M'Namara created a sensation in the South Bethlehem Town Council by declaring that the disorder among foreigners on Sundays was due largely to speakeasies that were protected by the borough police officers.

Helpless with a broken leg, John Mylin, a hotelkeeper near Lancaster had to remain in bed while thieves robbed him of nearly $100 and escaped.

The Lutheran and Reformed congregations of the "Red Church," two miles south of Orwigsburg, will celebrate the sesqui-centennial anniversary on Sunday, October 7 and 8. The church is one of the oldest in Eastern Pennsylvania.

State Health Commissioner Dixon said that he would make an effort to have the water companies in Pennsylvania patrol their water sheds to prevent local infection. The Commissioner believes that if the water companies do this it will prevent outbreaks of typhoid fever similar to the epidemic now at Nanticoke.

Stephen Lynott, of Wilkes-Barre, a breaker boy employed at the Baston Colliery of the Delaware & Hudson Coal Company, fell from the roof of the breaker 100 feet to the ground and was fatally injured.

A bold attempt at jail delivery in the Monroe County prison was luckily discovered by Sheriff William Evans. Two arrests were made next day on the charge of aiding prisoners to escape. John Linko, a prisoner, planned the general delivery. When his plot was discovered Linko tried to hang himself in his cell when discovered by Sheriff Evans.

State Game Warden C. D. Huster, of Huntsdale, Cumberland county, caused the arrest of David Helm, charging him with violating the State law in killing five flickers. The fine is $10 for each bird.

Carl Herdic, one of the best known of the younger business men of Williamsport died Friday evening, following an operation for appendicitis. He was a member of the insurance firm of McCormick & Herdic, and was secretary of the Williamsport Baseball association, in which he took a great interest.

Farnham Mears, of Scranton, son of coal operator John Mears, deceased, has been sued for $25,000 damages for injuries sustained by Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Emery as a result of a collision, between their carriage and an automobie driven by Mears on the evening of June 13, 1905.

After eating his dinner Steven Lynch, aged 18, employed at the Boston breaker at Kingston, with other boys climbed to the roof of the breaker. Young Lynch lost his balance and fell to the ground, a distance of 100 feet. His skull was fractured and he died at Wilkesbarre City hospital.

A bit of forgetfulness on the part of Secretary George Paynter, of the Hazleton school board has caused a delay in getting the state appropriation, which amounts to between $2,000 and $4,000. He carried the requestion papers in his coat pocket and forgot to mail them to State headquarters.

Fifteen more Scranton saloon keepers have been arrested for selling on Sunday.

The cornerstone of Altoona's new First Methodist Episcopal church was laid on Sunday.

An oil well yielding 40 barrels a day has been struck near Adamsville, Crawford county.

An unknown woman, 55 years old, who gave a fictitious address in Brooklyn, suicided with carbolic acid in the Hotel Hart at Wilkesbarre on Saturday evening.

Matthew Thompson, a sweeper in the Union station at Pittsburg, found a satchel containing $5000 and was liberally rewarded by the owner, who returned several hours later.

Though her husband refused to prosecute her for shooting him, the Pittsburg police authorities refused to discharge Mrs. Henry Lacy, and she was held in $1,000 bail, which was furnished by the forgiving husband.

Falling out of a second-story window at the home of Adam Luscavage at Minerville Sunday afternoon, a six-months-old baby escaped death as if by a miracle. A washerwoman was passing at the time, with her basket on her head. Baby tumbled into the basket and was unhurt, though the washerwoman was knocked down and driven almost into spasms by her fright.

William Jims, a young man convicted of impersonating an officer and securing money from young people who "spooned" in the park at West Pittston, was given six months in jail and a fine. Another man who played the same game jumped his bail bond.

Although she has passed the age of 67 years and has been toothless for the past quarter of a century, Mrs. James Castmore, of Larksville, Luzerne county, has just learned that she is in a sort of second girlhood and is again cutting teeth.

Two more deaths from typhoid fever have just occurred at Nanticoke.

It is expected that there will be 2,000 physicans present at the meeting of the medical society of the state of Pennsylvania being held at Scranton this week.

Two of the workmen employed on the new Nescopeck-Berwick bridge across the Susquehanna fell into the river on Saturday, but were rescued by their fellow workmen.

The last appeal is being made this week for subscriptions to Carbondae's tornado relief. The total amount received up to Saturday evening was $2,208.

President Baer, of the Philadelphia & Reading railway, has placed an order for 1,000 additional box cars with the American Car & Foundry Co. The cars will be of 60,000 pound capacity, with steel underframes, and will be built at the Berwick plant.

Spring Valley, near Pittston, had a big Italian fight the other night in which stilettoes were used. Just as two men were about to strike each other with the knives a woman ran between them and received a slight cut.

Joseph P. Seidle of Wilkesbarre has been elected a thirty-third degree Mason. Mr. Seidle is said to be the first person in Luzerne county to receive the honor.

ARMS IN HIS LEG.

German Smuggler Uses Cork Limb as an Arsenal.

Breslau, Sept. 26.—The customs officials on the Russian frontier at Kattowitz have arrested Herr Isaac Halten, a restaurant keeper of this city, for using his artificial leg for smuggling arms and tobacco.

On his arrival at the frontier the officers, who suspected him of carrying on a systematic contraband trade, subjected Herr Halten to a searching examination, in the course of which they unscrewed his cork leg.

Inside the limb were found two new revolvers, together with boxes of cartridges, besides large quantities of cigars and cigarettes.

The authorities immediately confiscated the limb, forgetting the fact that Halten could not walk without it. Finally he had to be carried in the arms of two custom house officials to the guard house.

All Cuba For Palma.

Havana, Sept. 26.—Complete returns from the entire island, which have been delayed owing to the bad condition of the telegraph service, show that in the elections on Saturday last for members of the election boards the supporters of the government were victorious in every province, not having lost one important place. The victory was so complete that it is now generally admitted to mean the re-election in December of President Palma and the election of the vice presidential candidate, Mendez Capote, the leader of the moderate party.

Elopes With Chauffeur.

Berlin, Sept. 26.—A sensation has been caused in Berlin society by the elopement of the daughter of a wealthy manufacturer with her father's chauffeur. The chaffeur is a tall, goodlooking young man, and some time ago the daughter told her father that she had fallen in love with him and would never marry any one else. The chaffeur was instantly dismissed, but the couple found a means of evading parental vigilance and they are now in London.

A Hair Raising Fall.

Saugus, Mass., Sept. 26.—A case that has interested the physicians is that of James Foss of Belmont street. Last February Mr. Foss fell down a flight of stairs. From that time until July 1 he lay in an unconscious state. Before his fall he was bald headed, but during his illness the hair began to grow, until now he has as good a crop as any person could desire. He was bald from his thirtieth year and was sixty-one last Thursday.

ANNUAL COUNTY FAIR

(Continued from first page.)

ing in sheep as has Addison Arnold of Rome township. G. G. Sumner is superintendent of sheep and swine.

Steep Road Cut Out.

A great improvement that has been made is the cutting out of the steep pitch on the road running direct to the fair ground from the East Towanda main road. This has always been a bad place but is now so nearly cut out that the incline amounts to but very little. It is a great improvement. There is going to be dust at this fair as there always is at good fairs. Yesterday it was several inches deep and with dry weather and the pounding by thousands of feet of horses it will give that good old taste that makes a fair a fair. Let her dust!

Railroad Accommodations.

The railroad accommodations for the fair are the best in years. In fact it is the first time in a number of years that any trains have stopped at the grounds. A special train will start from Waverly in the morning, reaching Towanda station at 9:25. It will stop at the fair grounds. The fare for the round trip will be ten cents. This train will leave the grounds at 5:30 for the return trip. No. 167, coming west at 10:40 will stop at the grounds to let off passengers and No. 146 going east will stop at 5:30 p. m. to take on passengers.

The Public Wedding.

The public wedding at the fair was celebrated yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, before a good sized crowd. The couple were Lewis W. Crandall of Unionville, Susquehanna county, and Miss Mary L. Hankinson of Rome. The witnesses were Mrs. N. W. Barnes of Rome and Mrs. Nellie Russell of Second street, Towanda, who is a sister of the bride. The ceremony was performed in a dignified manner by Rev. N. W. Barnes, who is pastor of the Methodist church at Orwell. The bride was dressed in white. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Obediah Hankinson of Rome. Mr. Crandall is a widower, his first wife having died May 30, 1902. His occupation is given as a laborer. Mr. and Mrs. Crandall will receive a lot of nice presents from Towanda business men as a starter in their married life.

LIST OF ENTRIES.

Those Who Have Exhibited in the Various Stock Departments.

The following is a list of those who have exhibited in the departments of horses, cattle, sheep and swine and poultry and pets:

Horses.

Albert Anderson, Myersburg; E. J. Atwood, LeRaysville; A. E. Arnold, Bumpville; Elmer Arnold, Ulster; A. C. Arnold, Athens; Mrs. G. S. Allen; U. M. Bowman, Orwell; Shepard Bristol, Towanda; G. W. Dixon, Rome; Ernest Cheney, Nichols; J. E. Daugherty, Mercur; L. O. Harris, Granville Summit; James Kirwin, Towanda; G. B. Lewis, Ulster; C. M. Kennedy, Ulster; Tom and Bernard Kirwin, Towanda; C. Henri Lane, Towanda; Ernest Miles, Laceyville; Richard Morse, Monroeton; Henry Maynard; J. S. McCorran, Towanda; Martin Elsbree, Windham; Irwin Platt, Sec'y., Wysox; M. S. Prentis, LeRaysville; John Piollett, Wysox; J. Stuart Robinson, Towanda; Hiram Rutty, Towanda; S. A. Stoll, Rome; G. G. Sumner, LeRaysville; Joseph Vickers, Mansfield; M. C. Wells, Towanda.

Cattle.

A. E. Arnold; Elmer Arnold; Allis Bros., South Hill; R. W. Arnold, South Warren; D. V. Clark, Towanda; G. A. Brink, Towanda; Frank Bosworth, Rome; B. F. Frisbie, Durell; C. J. Eastabrook; J. N. Harris, Milan; H. E. Jakeway, Milan; F. D. Kerrick, Durell; H. M. Lyon & Son, Spring Hill; G. M. and S. S. Lyon, Spring Hill; C. M. Kennedy; A. Platt, Jr., Wysox; L. O. and F. P. Vannoy, East Troy; Robert Templeton, Ulster.

Sheep and Swine.

Elmer Arnold; Mrs. G. S. Allen; C. F. Davis, Rome; John Gahan, Towanda; F. J. Green, Wysox; G. M. & S. S. Lyon, Spring Hill; J. G. Kerrick, Durell; C. M. Kennedy; W. H. Rockwell, Ulster; Robert Templeton; D. M. Young, Milan.

Poultry and Pets.

Bert Conklin, Rome; Jacob Ball, Towanda; Edward Doty, East Smithfield; D. Davies, Wysox; C. F. Davis, Rome; Mrs. H. M. Davis, Rome; C. B. Eastbrook, Allis Hollow; Mrs. C. J. Eastabrook; C. M. Evans, Towanda; A. S. Gordon, Towanda; W. Hamilton Jarvis, Towanda; Hawes & Norconk, Towanda; F. I. Bradford, Sylvania; Irwin Platt; James Peterson, Towanda; S. B. Strickland, Wysox, L. O. Vannoy.

The Chevron.

"Did you ever notice," inquired an old veteran, "that the sergeants and corporals of the army now wear their chevrons with the point up? It's only been in late years that they've done so. The marines always did, but the army for years had the points down. It's only lately that the chevron has been understood. The chevron is inherited from the feudal days and meant a roof. A man who had rank enough to be a noncommissioned officer was required to be a freeholder, a man who owned the roof over his head. The chevron represented a gabled roof. The privates owned no home. The increase in rank for different grades of noncommissioned officers was measured by additional roofs, the sergeant, for instance, having three chevrons against one for the lance corporal. You'll find that nearly all of these military devices have some origin of historical interest."—San Francisco Chronicle.

The Reporter-Journal covers the news of the whole county every week.

SIX DEATHS FROM WRECK.

No Explanation Given Out of Accident at Paoli, Pa.

Philadelphia, Sept. 26.—Noble Redmond, a porter who was injured in the wreck on the Pennsylvania railroad at Paoli, has died, making a total of six dead. The other injured are out of danger. No explanation has yet been given out by the railroad company as to the cause of the wreck, in which the New York Limited from the west smashed through an open switch and into a local train that was standing on a siding.

The dead, in addition to Redmond, are Carl Dunhaur, Philadelphia, a railroad employee; Frank A. Brastow of Haverford, general agent at Philadelphia of the Safety Car Heating and Lighting company and a relative by marriage of W. W Atterbury, general manager of the Pennsylvania Railroad company; George M. Pennypacker, Philadelphia, foreman of car inspectors in the West Philadelphia yards; Richard Y. Garland, Narbath, general foreman of the West Philadelphia shop of the Pennsylvania railroad; S. S. Walton, Altoona, Pa., steam heat inspector at the Altoona shops of the Pennsylvania railroad.

All those who met death were in the private car of General Manager Atterbury, which was attached to the rear of the local train. Mr. Atterbury's car had been overhauled preparatory to sending it to Maine to bring him home. It was sent out in the forenoon for a test run and was attached to a local train for return to this city.

VINELESS POTATOES.

Montana Genius Raises Toothsome Tubers In Tiers.

Great Falls, Mont., Sept. 26.—At the county fair here there is on exhibition what the inventor calls vineless potatoes.

Some three months ago D. D. Darst, the discoverer of the new process for producing potatoes, announced that he could grow potatoes in from two to three months in a special preparation discovered by himself in layers on top of each other and without vines.

His experiments have been conducted in a box eight feet square. In the bottom of this box a layer of Darst's preparation is placed to the depth of three inches and a number of potatoes planted therein. Another layer of three inches is scattered over these potatoes and more potatoes planted in the usual way, and so on until the frame is full.

Darst claims that the box may be built to almost any height with layer after layer of potatoes without affecting the producing quality of his composition and that he can have new potatoes for market in any climate at any time of the year.

General Porter at Oyster Bay.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 26.—General Horace Porter, former American ambassador to France, who for two or three days was a guest of the J. West Roosevelt family, returned to New York. He had an extended talk with the president, in which the Moroccan situation and France's relations with Venezuela were discussed. Referring to the Moroccan trouble, General Porter said: "I do not believe that serious trouble will result from that situation. It will be worked out satisfactorily after awhile." General Porter said President Roosevelt was in the best of health and spirits and had enjoyed his sojourn at Sagamore Hill greatly despite his immense amount of work.

Taft to Race Home.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 26.—Mail advices from Yokohama state that the steamship Corea of the Pacific Steamship company, to sail from Yokohama on Sept. 17 with the Taft party of congressmen on board will endeavor to make a record direct to San Francisco without coaling at Honolulu. An effort will be made to pass through the Golden Gate ten days from Yokohama. The transpacific record of ten days, ten hours is at present held by the steamship Empress of Japan of the Canadian Pacific railway for the run between Yokohama and Victoria.

Wife's Cry Revives "Dead" Man.

Logansport, Ind., Sept. 26.—William Kreider, eighty-four years old, who had been declared dead, was suddenly revived by the screams of his wife as she entered his sick chamber and saw his apparently lifeless form. Although physicians had given up all hope of his recovery, it seems now that Kreider will get well, but his wife, who was so badly shocked at the thought of her husband's death, is in a critical condition.

Alfonso Again Reported Engaged.

Madrid, Sept. 26.—It is semiofficially announced that King Alfonso will marry an English princess May 17, 1906. It is understood that the lady selected as the future queen of Spain is the Princess Ena of Battenberg, daughter of Prince Henry of Battenberg and niece to King Edward of England.

Morton Rents Root's House.

New York, Sept. 26.—The five story mansion at the southeast corner of Park avenue and Seventy-first street, recently built by Elihu Root and which his acceptance of the portfolio of secretary of state prevents him from occupying, has been leased for a term of years by Paul Morton, president of the Equitable.

In the Grasp of the Octopus.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 26.—The Leader says that the Standard Oil group of New York financiers has obtained control of traction securities in Ohio and Indiana with a par value of $83,105,000 at a reported cash outlay of $50,000,000. Other similar transactions are known to be pending.

The Growth of English.

The English language is growing. The Egypt correspondent of the Osage (Mo.) News writes: "Jeff Smith isn't exactly on the sick list, but he's punying some."

NOTES OF GRANGES.

Items of Interest Contributed by Editor A. T. Lilley.

DECLARATION OF PURPOSES.

What the Grange Stands For and Aims to Secure—Some Lessons Learned—Concerning Vaccination of School Children.

(All communications to this column should be addressed to A. T. Lilley, LeRoy, Pa.)

It is now the right time to gather forest leaves to make hall decorations. Leaves gathered now and properly cared for will retain their color and form for more than one third of a century. This has been proved by experience as specimens at hand plainly show.

There is no better organization for the farmer than the grange whose declaration of purposes is excelled by no other society. For more than a third of a century it has stood the test of opposition and is now approved by the wisest best agriculturists. The Grange stands for better schools, better roads; better tillage of the soil; better crop culture; better citizenship; more equal taxation; the right to carry freight on trolley cars; the right to cast your own vote according to the dictate of your own conscience, to study nature's works learning from the past what the future will be, for a more thorough unity of forces to secure equal rights; against the folly of organizing outside the Grange to secure rights than can be better secured under the Grange banner; and in favor of the "square deal" in all the walks of life. Object lessons take the lead in all pathways of the farmers' domain and we know of no more fitting place to instill these in the minds of both the young and the aged than in the grange room. Nature's object lessons are always at hand on the farm and he who will may be edified and instructed by them. Whatever adds to the betterment of the tiller of the soil adds to the welfare of all the people.

Another harvest seson is coming near to a close and the lessons learned are many and noted as follows; many of the seed procured from our seed houses fail in kind, quality, production and general appearance; many of the novelties prove worthless; it is not how hard we work but how and when that secures best results; as a general rule mixed farming pays better than special; the evils of insect pests may be averted by active and judicious work; it is better to garner more than is expended for charity; people who are free to give from the treasury filled by others seldom add much to the prosperity of an organization; it often happens that peace makers do not wear the white cravat, neither does the white cravat insure peace at all times; yet it is still true that whatever a man seweth that he shall reap also.

The Grange Bulletin opens its columns for the free discussion of the merits of dancing in the Grange. The merits and demrits are being pointed out in a somewhat enthusiastic manner. The executive committee of the Maine state Grange say no more dancing. The Granges in Bradford county are divided on the question but no controversy has arisen.

The school teacher is again in the school room with a new duty to perform, which is to know that the children have been vaccinated; if they have not to send them home. In some places much ill feeling is being stirred up against the law but we believe the agitators will soon quiet down and all will pass along as quietly as in the past. To be sure some of the children are quite sick but it would seem better to have it so than to have small pox run without a hindrance. It is hoped that no one will do anything to prevent the children from attending school regularly, because this is every essential if they are to have an opportunity to keep up with their classes and advance in their studies. Many good laws seem hard in some cases but as a whole are for the welfare of the governed and this law seems to be one of them.

The Grange fair should be encouraged by all the members of the Order because it gives many an opportunity to compare object lessons with their neighbors who coud not conveniently attend the county fairs.

New Constable at Sayre.

George M. Wilson has been appointed by the court to be constable of the Third ward of Sayre borough, to fill the vacancy caused by the non-acceptance of the office by Frank VanMarter, who was elected last February.

London Honors General Booth.

London, Sept. 26—The corporation of the city of London unanimously resolved to confer the freedom of the city on General Booth of the Salvation Army in "recognition of his great work for the moral and social elevation of the people." This is regarded as a unique recognition by the city, which is accustomed to bestow the freedom only on members of royal families, military and naval heroes or statesmen of marked pre-eminence.

Won't Quarantine Mr. Roosevelt.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 26.—President Roosevelt may choose his routes in and out of the south. The Mississippi and Tennessee health authorities have declared that even if the quarantine is in effect at the time of his trip it will be lifted for his benefit. There is little doubt that Arkansas will follow the lead of the other states, but if not the president may return north over the main line of the Illinois Central by way of Memphis.

DEEDS RECORDED.

With Location of Lands, Names of Parties and Considerations.

Ridgebury twp.—March 24, 1898. Wm. F. O'Leary to John C. O'Leary; lots, $1.

Ridgebury twp.—April 12, 1904. Wm. F. O'Leary to John C. O'Leary; lots, $200.

Terry twp.—Sept. 13, 1905. Hiram Miller and wife to Martin J. Wells; lots, $2,800.

So. Wavery boro.—Sept. 7, 1905. Wm. Rickley and wife to Michael J. Powers; lot, $5,500.

Athens twp.—Aug. 14, 1905. Harry K. Crandall to Geo. B. Mead; lots, $1,293.

Springfield twp.—Sept. 14, 1905. Oscar N. Barrett and others to W. P. Chamberlin; 40 acres, $450.

Sayre boro.—Sept. 2, 1905. Walter S. Stedman to John B. Barron; lot, $300.

Sayre boro.—Sept. 1, 1905. John J. Barron et ux to Harvey W. Blake; lot, $2,100.

Athens twp—Sept. 1, 1905. Clarence P. Springer to Mary L. Becraft; ¾ acre, $300.

Granville twp.—July 1, 1905. Anna H. Sackett to Charles N. Hoyt; lot, $150.

Canton boro.—July 7, 1905. Margaret Marion Donovan to Harriet E. Bullock; lot, $1.

Towanda twp.—Aug. 5, 1905. Mary D. Newton to Harry and Stella Ellsworth; lot, $350.

Monroe twp.—Sept. 17, 1896. Treasurer of Brad. Co. to E. L. Smith; lot, $8.21.

Athens twp.—April 14, 1904. Edith M. and Dennis H. Shupp to Charles T. McCloskey; lot, $15.

Armenia twp.—Sept. 19, 1905. Anna and Dewitt C. Lampman to Morris Becker; 80 acres, $100.

Athens boro.—Sept. 20, 1905. Lettie and Wm. L. Maxwell to Harry Ford Munn; lot, $1,400.

FIELD—SCHRIMP.

Well Known Young People at Sayre Joined in Marriage.

The marriage of Louis Emery Field and Miss Rachael Mae Schrimp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Schrimp of Sayre, occurred at the latter's residence at noon on Wednesday of last week, the Rev. F. T. Cady, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, officiating. The bride was given away by her father and Miss Anna Reeves played the wedding march.

The bride and groom are both well known. The groom is the son of Street Commissioner D. L. Field and has a lucrative situation with the express company in Sayre. The bride is a most estimable young woman and both have many friends who will wish them years of happiness. They will enoy a wedding trip to Rochester and upon their return will reside in Sayre.

McKee Reunion.

The first reunion of the descendants of Thomas and Sarah McKee, with other relatives and friends numbering 75, met Saturday, Sept. 9, at the old homestead on Mormon Hill, which is now the pleasant home of their youngest son, Samuel. One pleasant feature of the occasion was that the five children who are the direct descendants were all present as follows: John H. McKee, of Calverton, Va., Mrs. Sarah Howie and Mrs. Annie Morrison of Saco, Mrs. Mary Wigsten of Springfield, and Samuel, who has always resided on the old homestead, which is in Ridgebury township; Mrs. C. M. Tuton, a step-sister, was also present. The day being a ideal one for the occasion, it was mostly spent under the old apple trees, renewing old acquaintances and forming new ones.

Before breaking up a business meeting was called to order and the following officers elected: President, John H. McKee; secretary, Mrs. J. H. Mason; treasurer, James H. Howie. It was decided to hold the next reunion on the first Saturday of September, 1906, at the same place.

Supper was served at 7:30, after the company had been entertained with songs, recitations and graphophone music.

The October Century.

Miss Katharine A. Carl enoys the unique distinction of being the first person from the western world in all history who has been received into the intimacy of the Chinese imperial palaces. Miss Carl painted four portraits of the famous Empress Dowager of China, and for nearly a year resided at court, attended all fetes, and saw the Empres Dowager, on terms of pleasant and intimate companionship, almost daily. She has written the story of her experiences, the first chapters of which will be published in the October Century, together with Miss Carl's portrait of the Empress Dowager.

Wanted—Men to travel advertising Yeast Foam, from April 1st to November 1st, 1906. Must be 22 years of age or older, strong, and of good character and habits. In applicaton give age, present occupation and references. Addres, before November 1st, Walter O. Hill, Care Northwestern Yast Co., 889 No. Ashland Ave., Chicago, Ill.
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Pratt Reunion.

The third annual reunon of the Pratts of Bradford county will be held at the log house in C. H. Pratt's grove, West Burlington, Wednesday, Oct. 4. All relatives are cordially invited to attend.

For County Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself as a citizens' candidate for the office of County Commissioner, appealing to the voters, without regard to party, for their aid and support at the polls in November.

HENRY H. BENTLEY.
Towanda, Pa., Aug. 16, '05.

Towner Reunion.

The third annual reunion of the Towner family to the number of 150 met on Towner Hill Sept. 9. Relatives were present from Chicago, Pittston, Sayre, Athens, West Burlington, Orwell, Warren and Rome. After dinner the meeting was called to order by the president and opened by singing, "My Country 'tis of thee," Rev. N. W. Barnes of Orwell leading with prayer, followed by songs and recitations with addresses by Revs. Barnes and Cavenaugh. Exercises closed by singing, "God Be With you 'till we meet again." Mrs. Julia Towner, widow of the late J. G. Towner, who is now a resident of Chicago, was present.

Easily Acquired Reputation.

Now that you are through with your mower, reaper, hay rake, corn plow and many other farm implements, clean them all carefully, using a cloth that has been dampened with kerosene or oil on all bright parts, put them all away in a clean, dry place and next season you will have machines and utensils as good and bright as new. A little time spent at this work will be worth to you many dollars. You will also have the reputation of being a careful man.

Babcock Reunion.

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Republican primaries on Saturday of this week.

With Standard Oil using a hydraulic ram to boost the price of petroleum, the coal operators and miners making faces at each other, the public is entitled to at least one chill even before cold weather begins.

The New York state investigation of the big insurance companies is bringing out evidence of transactions that tend to prove "Frenzied" T. W. Lawson of Boston, not quite so big a falsifier as some people would have the public believe.

The big pile of crushed stone in the rear of the court house, owned by the county, would make a fine surface for a new walk at the East end of the covered bridge. The present walk will break somebody's neck one of these nights.

How doctors differ, "Mayor Weaver is the emancipator of Philadelphia," is what the Philadelphia Press believes. "Mayor Weaver is a ruthless destroyer, his policy is rule and ruin," declares the Philadelphia Inquirer. You takes your choice.

Iowa farmers are growing sheep in larger numbers each year. It is estimated that the farmers in southern Hardin and northern Marshall counties will feed 30,000 sheep this winter. The Dingley tariff has made the sheep and woolen industries among the most profitable in the country.—Manchester (Ia.) "Press."

The expensive anti-toxin treatment for diphtheria, is to be furnished free by the state to those who are unable to pay for it. Used in time it is almost a sure cure for diphtheria and it is held to be the duty of the state to see that it is available for the very poorest. Two or more distribution stations will be established in every county. The move is in the hands of Dr. Samuel Dixon, of Philadelphia, head of the new department of health.

Bakers and other users of bottled eggs have been somewhat shocked by a statement of the Massachusetts Board of Health that their chemists had found on sale rotten eggs with the odor "cut" with formaldehyde. It appears that this embalming fluid is an effective agent for the renovation of eggs that have hitherto been considered fit for leather dressing only. It is stated that one bakery in Massachusetts has used as much as half a ton of these mixed eggs a day, supposing that they were undoctored and wholesome. Liquid eggs are a staple article of commerce, made from cracked or badly broken arrivals. When taken care of promptly, put in tight vessels in cold storage, they keep well and are entirely suitable for bakers' use.

Secretary Taft cables that the recent disturbances in Japan in relation to the peace pact at Portsmouth, have been much enlarged upon, and that there have been no anti-American demonstrations. Members of the secretary's party have visited all parts of Japan, meeting everywhere with courteous treatment, and it is evident that both government and people entertain none but the friendliest feelings toward the United States. The friends of Japan, in America, and they number about all the people, will be pleased to learn that the very favorable impressions the Japanese have created in their conduct throughout the war, have been warranted, and that a little temporary disappointment has not affected their good sense and manners.

An act of the last Legislature took effect last week which is directed against the practice of corrupting purchasing agents, whether they be the maid servant whom the grocer gives a bonus in return for her mistress' trade or the agent of a great commercial house whose patronage may mean thousands of dollars a year to the manufacturer who gets it. This law makes it a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of $10 to $500 or by both the fine and a year's imprisonment to give, offer or promise an agent, employe or servant any gift or gratuity whatever without the knowledge and consent of the principal, employer or master of such agent, employe or servant with intent to influence his action in relations to his principals, employers or masters' business. The penalty also applies to agents who request or accept gifts or commissions given for this purpose.

MR. PARKER'S CHARGES.

Alton B. Parker, the Democratic nominee for President in 1904, says he has knowledge of the giving of money by corporations for partisan purposes during that campaign, and that this money was used in buying votes. "That their acts were unlawful; and that their purposes were corrupt," he says, "goes without saying;" and adds, "they (the corporations) intended to have the money used, as it was, in corrupting the electorate."

If Mr. Parker's charge is true, it is a damaging accusation against his own party. The men who were bought, if there was any buying, must have been Democrats. The Republicans would have, of course, voted the ticket in any event. No Republican manager would waste any money on them. Therefore it was the Democrats who were corrupted, if any corruption was practiced at all. If a large number of Democrats are in market on election day, as Parker insists, then he did well to make his charge. A party that will sell itself to anybody who will buy it does not deserve to live, and Parker is rendering a service by arousing the country against it. No Republican ever said worse things against the Democracy than its late standard bearer in saying; and he says them with an air of conviction that shows that he believes them, and that he wants his country to accept him as an expert authority on Democratic crookedness; but if Parker knows that money was used for purposes of corruption it is his duty to furnish some evidence on this point.

Parker made many loose charges along this line against the President in the recent campaign which the President very promptly and very properly denounced as falsehoods. What he says now has an interest as a revelation of the venality and disreputability of the Democratic party. The inquisitors who extracted the information about the New York Life Insurance Co., on which the ex-Democratic candidate bases his wholesale accusations ought to summon that person promptly and get him to tell what he knows about the purchase of the Democratic party. In doing this he may, possibly, be able to make an exposure of Democratic crookedness which the American people would be interested in hearing.

DON'T GET RUSTY.

The machine that lies idle is far more liable to injury than the machine that runs.

Air and dampness do more damage than wear and tear. Let the machine remain inactive a while and the coat covers the bright metal and the parts become stiff and cranky.

A man neglects the working parts of his body. Normally these parts should be exercised. He indulges his members in idleness. Whatever vitality and working force they may have had when in continued use, neglect causes the machinery to run stiffly. It is the rust.

A man may neglect to exercise his working brain forces. He may have ever so quick a mind, but if he does not use his mental machinery the rust of idleness is soon over it.

A man may neglect to use the moral forces that are in him. There is a weakening somewhere. The machine lets down. And soon the parts are rusted.

When the primary or the convention, or the ballot box—working parts of government—are neglected the rust collects. The machinery works poorly. It may break down.

Keep your body working without friction by systematic exercise.

Keep your mind bright by using it.

Keep your soul clean by working it.

And so for society—nine-tenths of its evils are caused by the idleness of its necessary working parts.—Chicago Journal.

A QUESTION OF NAMES.

The proposition to admit the Indian Territory to the Union as the State of Sequoyah, in memory of the Indian chief who originated the Cherokee alphabet, has evoked one curious objection. It is that the name suggested is an Indian name and hard to pronounce.

The first objection is generally considered by people of good taste to be a recommendation. Certainly the 26 States which bear aboriginal names are more appropriately named than the 18 whose titles are more or less forced adaptions from Old World nomenclature; while the State of Washington, though strictly in neither class, has the kindred quality to the Indian names of being American.

But the objection is the more singular in the fact that the leading alternative is the consolidation of the Indian Territory with another under the name of Oklahoma. How Oklahoma is less an Indian name the Sequoyah, and in what respect it is easier to pronounce, is a poser.

A correspondent of The Country Gentleman gives as an efficacious remedy for poison ivy poisoning the application of water as hot as can be borne, or in the hands steam from a teakettle.

The average yield of crops in Pennsylvania, as given by recent census statistics are Corn, 31.2 bushels per acre; wheal, 15.6; oats, 28.6; rye, 15.4; buckwheat, 35; barley, about 19; potatoes, 91.

THE FAIR.

"About now," as the almanac has it, "county fairs may be expected." This week the fair season culminates and all over this broad land this characteristic institution of American rural life may be seen at its best. The man who has not traveled or seen anything beyond his own door sill is very apt to have a narrow view of the world at large or a very crude conception how mankind lives and what progress is going on in the land. We can read about things and get a faint idea of what changes are taking place, but seeing is believing.

No one can study a good horse, cow, sheep or hog by seeing its picture in the paper. Seeing the animal itself and learning all about it by personal observation is a far better thing. The farmer can have no idea what the new varieties of seeds are until he sees them. His barn does not contain all the stock in the world. Somebody is always improving and he likes to show the world the beauty and worth of his product.

Aside from all this is does the farmer good to stop work for a day and take a play spell. Even if the fair is not as rosy as it was painted in imagination, it does good at any rate. When people rub against each other, meet each other in mass and exchange views, all are benefited. It all smooths the rough angles of uncouthness and the bristling spikes of hat dogmatism which comes from too much isolation. The fair enables the whole county to countermarch and look at itself. So we wish it success in all regards—monetary and in the approbation of its patrons.

THE WORLD'S WORKSHOP.

At a time when an effort may be made to create the impression that we are in danger of losing our foreign markets for manufactured products this week's bulletin of the census bureau contains some startling statistics. The value of manufactured goods exported from the United States during the fiscal year ended June 30 was $543,620,297, against $452,415,921 in 1904, the next largest year. In 1895 the value of manufactured exports was $183,595,743. The increase in ten years has thus been practically threefold. As far back as 1878 the figures were $123,807,196, and in the seventeen years to 1895 they increased but $60,000,000. In 1896 commenced the great rise, and, although there have been temporary recessions, the total has risen until now the per centage of manufactured exports is 40 per cent. of the total exports, against the former rate of less than 20 per cent.

While statesmanship demands a look to the future and an insistence upon the wisdom of the Blaine-McKinley policy of reciprocity in non-competitive products, the condition of American manufactures is not so seriously threatened by any loss of our foreign markets as to form any basis for tariff revision under the guise of a dual tariff. With manufactured exports $90,000,000 greater than in any previous year, the export trade cannot be said to be sick and languishing, though steps to guard its future are meritorious and worthy.—Cincinati "Star."

THE SAN JOSE SCALE.

A systematic campaign for the suppression of the San Jose scale, a parasite which has been threatening the extermination of fruit growing in Pennsylvania, is about to be undertaken by State Economic Zoologist Surface.

In every locality in which there is any evidence of the pest the state will send experts to give practical demonstrations of the most approved methods of saving infected trees and protecting other from infection.

In counties from which have come the worst reports public meetings will be held in the court houses November 1, at which the experts of the department will give talks to fruit growers on the extermination of the scale. Growers are requested to bring to these meetings leaves, twigs and fruit of infected trees for examination.

As a result of these examinations the experts will go into the various infected districts to superintend the campaign against the scale. Dr. Surface has engaged twenty of these experts and is arranging their itineraries through members of the recent Legislature.

The experts are to report to State College October 16 for a two weeks' course of instruction in their duties. The campaign is made possible by an act of the recent Legislature appropriating $30,000 for use in fighting the pest. Governor Pennypacker is taking great interest in the progress of the work.

Much has been written of late years about the doom of the horse and its displacement by the common use of bicycle and automobile. We are not yet in sight of the horseless age by a good deal. In fact, it is not overstating the case to say that there has never been a better demand for the good horse than now, and no modern invention is at all likely to fill its place. We know of no safer proposition for the average farmer than to equip his farm with two or more well bred draft mares and, using thoroughbred draft sires, raise colts just as he would steers and with much greater profit. Saddle and carriage horses may also be most profitably produced.—Tunkhannock Republican.

COMMON ERRORS.

"Did you ever pick up a 'don't' book and read it and see how many mistakes the average so-called well bred person makes unconsciously, or through bad habits?" asked a young lawyer. "Perhaps slang has a great deal to do with it, as slang expressions are used often in such way as to make them resemble good English. We say a piece of cake is 'awfully' good, or a girl is 'awfully' pretty, when we mean 'very.' We say a wedding 'occurs,' when nothing but accidents occur, and as for that word 'lay,' how few people there are who are not afraid to use it. We 'lay' it down, but we ourselves 'lie' down. 'Lay' or 'laid' takes an object; 'lie lay lain' does not. How ridiculous it is to say we 'love' candy, when we 'like' it; a plate of soup could hardly be 'lovely,' but a rose could be. And that word 'got.' It seems amost an unnecessary word if care woud be taken. The words 'he,' 'she,' 'him' and 'her' are really the most troublesome words in the English language to most people. I was shocked to hear a society girl here say "Mrs. Blank has invited she and I to her home.' They seem to be afraid of the words 'her' and 'me.' To say 'she asked her and me' sounds queer but it is correct. How many careless people say, 'He asked for you and I.' The word 'ain't' is fast growing in disfavor. Few people know that the word "aggravate' does not mean 'provoke' or 'irritate,' and that they must not say a 'new beginner.' We expect a visitor but we 'suspect' he is sick. A man dies 'of' a disease, but not 'from,' and to say 'do like I do' should be 'as I do.' The word 'preventive' is to be used instead of 'preventative,' and the term 'I mistake,' instead of 'I am mistaken.' So one could go on indefinitely in the line of speech and writing, but when it comes to etiquette and table manners, how many there are who fall short of the rules laid out by the standard on such matters."—Birmingham News.

RECENT ALCOHOL RULING.

The recent ruling of the secretary of the treasury that venders of patent medicine, with alcohol as the basic element, will be obliged to pay a government revenue tax, will have very little, if any, influence on the sale of such drugs.

This is the statement made by a member of Major T. F. Penman's official internal revenue household at Scranton. He said:

"The general public might believe that the ruling would act as a deterrent to the sale of such proprietary articles, but it will not. That ruling will simply bear on the manufacturer, who will be obliged to pay the government an internal revenue tax. The retail druggists in this vicinity will not be affected in the least, for they are already paying an internal revenue tax of $25 per annum."

Bradford county's $200,000 stone and marble court house is adorned with signs forbidding smoking, while other signs allege that "No gentleman will spit on the floor." Yet the commissioners continue to maintain a nuisance in the vestibule in the shape of a bootblack's stand that is an eyesore and a dirty mess flaunted in the face of every person who enters the building by the main entrance. The custodian of the "shoe shining parlor" is, in his own mind, the custodian of the soliders' monument and no one objects to his scaring away the dogs from the front of the building, but when he takes it upon himsef to order men, women and children about as if they were dumb animals it is time the county commissioners abated what has become a decided nuisance.

The Farmers' Dairy Dispatch shipped over 100,000 cans of milk to New York during the month of July.

Don't forget the primaries on Saturday.

ROME.

Misses Laura Allen and Iva Hiney of Lestershire, arrived in town Saturday and will visit relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Bertha Scott of Mifflin, Pa., who has been the guest of Miss Ruth Whitney the past week, has returned home.

Rob Stone, of Boston, is staying with his parents for a few weeks.

Miss Carrie Brink, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. S. Kinney, has returned to New York.

Miss Ruth Whitney entertained a number of friends at tea Friday evening.

Married Sept. 25, at the M. E. parsonage, Rome, by Rev. E. D. Cavanaugh, Hubbil Pratt of Towner Hill, and Mrs. Fannie Black, of LeRaysville.

C. E. meeting will be held at 6 o'clock hereafter instead of at 8 o'clock.

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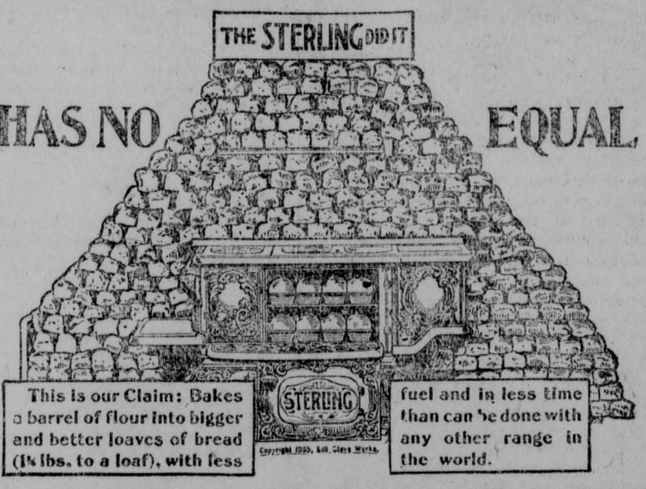

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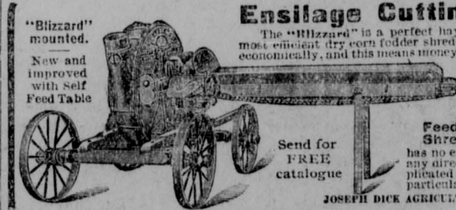

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TOWANDA, PA., SEPT. 28, 1905.

The great Dallas fair begins next Tuesday and last four days.

Born on Sept. 14 to Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Riley of Wyalusing, a son.

Born Sept. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Fay Bennett, Poplar street, a daughter.

Gilbert L. Davis, a well known stage driver of Nicholson, died recently.

A number of Gypsies are encamped across the river below the carriage bridge.

Towanda High school and Wyalusing will play footbal in Towanda next Saturday.

Mrs. Julia D. McCraney has rented rooms in the Obenauer block and is moving in.

Mrs. Amos Cox died at Dushore on Sunday of last week, the body being taken to Sayre for interment.

The annual meeting of the Medical society of Pennsylvania will be held in Scranton, Sept. 26, 27, and 28.

Bucknell university opens with a large attendance. There is a marked increase in the women's college.

Miss Elsie Sattler was given a very pleasant surprise party by her schoolmates on Monday evening, the occasion being her birthday.

By the explosion of the carbonater tank of a soda fountain, John Ricketts, a clerk in a drug store at Plains, was killed. He was 35 years of age.

Hazleton's base ball team has just closed a very successful season. The total receipts amounted to $5,696.61, which allows each player $133.66.

Berwick borough officers are to attempt the enforcement of the anti-spitting ordinance. Towanda has a similar law, which is obeyed by some.

Robert Cunningham of Waverly and Miss Itlia Platt of Towanda, were married at the Warren House at Chemung Wednesday evening of last week.

Republican primaries for the nomination of a candidate for prothonotary are to be held on Saturday evening. W. G. Gordon of Towanda is the only candidate.

J. Eppes Wells, formery of Towanda, has so far recovered from his long illness that he has been able to go to Tioga and take charge of his drug store there.

Mrs. B. E. Heath, who has been seriously ill for some weeks, was taken to Mercy hospital at Wilkesbarre on Monday. Mr. Heath and Dr. D. L. Pratt accompanied her.

Charles Garrison, New York city's largest policeman, has been visiting at Pittston. Mr. Garrison is six feet four inches in heighth and weighs 375 pounds. He wears a 22 collar.

Meshoppen borough is about the only place in Pennsylvania having no public schools. The four grades in that borough yet lack teachers because the board of directors fail to agree.

The store and dwelling house of B. B. Buffum of Friendsville, burned recently and the loss is covered by $7,000 insurance. Mr. Buffum is register and recorder of Susquehanna county.

While laboring under a fit of temporary insanity caused by the death of his son's wife, John Besickie jumped in front of a train at Millhall, near Bellefonte, and was injured so badly that he died.

Miss Edna R. Mather of Ulster, went on Saturday to South Hadley, Mass., where she will enter Mt. Holyoke College. Miss Mather attended the Susquehanna Collegiate Institute for the past two years.

Charles B. Reed of Wysox, went Sept. 20 to Philadelphia, where he will begin a course of biology and medicine in the University of Pennsylvania. He graduated from the Towanda High school this year.

At the Hughesville fair last week Bernice defeated the Hughesville nine in a 15 inning game of ball by a score of 4 to 3. Herbert Jackson's pitching for Bernice was phenomenal. He struck out 32 men and alowed but four safe hits.

The fire deruartment were called out at 6:25 Monday evening by a small blaze at the home of F. N. Bixby at the corner of Bridge and Charles street was put out without their assistance. The blaze caught from a stove pipe.

Rev. Thomas M. Hanley, pastor of St. John's Roman Catholic church at Honesdale, has contracted for a two story addition to the church building, to be built of ornamental pressed brick and hammered blue stone. Father Hanley was formerly assistant priest in SS. Peter and Paul's parish.

Ulster a Winner.

The Ulster base ball team has closed the most successful year in its history, playing 20 games against the strongest teams in Bradford and Sullivan counties, winning 13, losing 6, and tieing 1. Such strong teams as Troy, Canton, Waverly, Dushore, Forksville, St. Louis Stars and Wyalusing were defeated. Financially the season was also a great success.

Foot Ball Here.

Foot ball Saturday, Towanda High school vs. Wyalusing High school at the East Side grounds. The game will be called at 2:30 and the admission will be 20 cents.

VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF IN CHANDLER SUIT.

Mrs. Carrie Chandler Awarded $5,000 For Loss of Her Husband.

Mrs. Carrie Chandler of Sheshequin was on Saturday awarded a verdict of $5,000 in her suit against the Lehigh Valley railroad company for damages arising out of the death of her husband, George Chandler, who was killed on Aug. 1, 1902, at the Milltown crossing of the road.

Mr. Chandler resided at Trinket, Sheshequin township, and on the day of his death had been in Sayre selling produce. It was alleged by the plaintiff that a freight train occupied the Milltown crossing; that it was cut in two to allow teams to pass and that a railroad employe gave Mr. Chandler a signal to go ahead. He drove between the freight cars and was struck by a passenger train, a view of which was prevented by the freight cars. Chandler's horses were also killed.

NEWS OF THE S. & N. Y.

New Station at Hillsgrove Junction. More Motive Power Needed.

Engine 108 on the S. & N. Y. railroad, which hauls the early morning train from Ralston to Towanda, and takes the 3:50 train out of Towanda in the afternoon, is also used nights in hauling coal and through freight from Ralston up the hill to Wheelerville. On the first trip up last Sunday night, an eccentric cam on the engine was broken about a mile this side of Crandalltown, and the machine put out of commission. It was brought to the Towanda shops Monday morning for repairs.

On account of the disabling of engine 108, the S. & N. Y. was without motive power at Ralston to haul the early train Monday morning, and it was abandoned for the day. The coach equipment was brought to Towanda on the second train, and the regular afternoon run to Ralston made as usual.

The S. & N. Y. is building a new station at Hillsgrove Junction, that will be ready for occupancy soon.

The coaches on the S. & N. Y. have recently been repainted and put in good shape for the Fall business.

Trainmaster Blair has his hands full these days, as the freight business on the S. & N . Y. is booming. The road is really in need of more motive power to handle the freight traffic.

CONTRACT CALLED OFF.

Philadelphia Firm Will Not Build the Wilkesbarre Court House.

Negotiations for the transfer of the contract for the new million dollar court house at Wilkesbarre from Wilson J. Smith to Doyle & Doak of Philadelphia, were declared off on Thursday, much to the disappointment of people who hoped that the continued strife over its erection would end.

Mr. Doak of the firm of Doyle & Doak, with his attorney called on Mr. Smith to conclude the deal which had been on for some time, taking with them a certified check for $25,000, which they claim Smith had agreed to accept for the contract. To their surprise he demanded $35,000. They declare that negotiations are ended.

With Amelia Bingham.

Miss Mary Welles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Welles of this place, is at present playing with a star company in which Amelia Bingham and Charles Richman have the leading roles. Miss Welles has decided dramatic talent and created a name for herself in local circles by her performance in the local talent play "Love in Idleness." Miss Welles received the most flattering compliments from her instructors and those who saw her act when in New York last winter. Her many friends in Towanda will wish her continued success in her profession.

Students Must Be Good.

"Any student of Syracuse University who enters a saloon or poolroom will be promptly expelled if his identity can be learned." This was the bombshell exploded by Chancellor James R. Day in the first chapel of the year at Syracuse University. The announcement was received in silence. It is the most abritrary ruling that has been made by the university authorities in years. Dr. Day is determined that the morals of the students of the university shall be unimpeachable.

Autumn Arbor Day.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Schaeffer, in announcing Friday, Oct. 20, for Autumn Arbor Day, drops into poetry, and in his proclamation quotes entire Henry Abbey's poem, "What Do We Plant When We Plant the Tree?" Prof. Schaeffer says that the observance of Arbor Day has extended to every State in the Union, and to France, Japan and other countries. Millions of trees have been planted and thousands of acres set apart for forestry purposes.

Howard—Smith.

Henry Howard of Newark Valley and Miss Sadie R. Smith of Sayre were married at 8:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the home of the bride's father, J. H. Smith. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. C. Petrie of the Presbyterian church in the presence of a few friends and relatives. Mr. Howard is a telegraph operator for the Lehigh at Newark Valley.

Close—Goff.

At noon on Sept. 6, Maude Lindsley Goff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Goff, formerly of this county and now of Buffalo, N. Y., was united in marriage to Milo Arnold of that city. After an extended trip through Canada, they returned on Sept. 19, and are now at home at 1114 Main street, Buffalo.

ENDORSED NEW ELDER.

Resolution Prepared by Dr. O. A. Houghton Passed.

At the recent session of the Elmira district conference of the Methodist Episcopal church held at Chemung the following resolution prepared by Dr. O. A. Houghton, pastor of the Towanda church, was introduced and passed:

"We, the undersigned preachers of Elmira district, hereby express our high appreciation of our presiding elder, Rev. J. Wallace Webb, D. D., who, by his gentlemanly bearing, genial and brotherly ways among us, wise administration, and able, spiritual and attractive preaching, has already won the love of the people, who anticipate his visits and gather in large numbers to hear him.

"Blessed and happy in these relations, we earnestly ask of our Bishop presiding at the next session of our annual conference that he will continue Dr. Webb as our presiding elder another year."

TROY MAN KILLED.

Lawrence Maloney Met Peculiar Death in Brooklyn.

The body of Lawrence Maloney, of Brooklyn, formerly a resident of Troy, and commonly known as "Larry," was brought to Troy for burial Saturday afternoon. The service was read at the Catholic church by the Rev. M. T. Shields, followed by interment in the Catholic cemetery. Quoting from the New York Evening Mail of Wednesday, September 20: "Lawrence Maloney, a lineman living at 61 Willoughby street, Brooklyn, was killed today by an electric shock as he pulled his brass key in the door of a metal fire alarm box opposite 54 Pearl street, South Brooklyn. He had been sent to trace a defect in the fire signal system, and was not aware that an electric wire crossed one of the fire department wires in the vicinity. As soon as the circuit became established by the use of the key he dropped dead."

Article by Pastor.

In the issue of the Northern Christion Advocate for Sept. 21, there appears an interesting article on "Our Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society," by Rev. C. A. Willson, pastor of the North Towanda Methodist Episcopal church. The article discusses the origin of this movement and its great growth. Mr. Willson believes evidently that any money donated for this good cause can be sanctified for he says: "Pray for it; preach about it; get for it all the money you can. 'Tainted' money? Yes, any money that has the United State government back of it. Only get it and get lots of it."

Price Too Low.

Ticket Agent Bostwick of the Towanda upper station is a competent and obliging official but it is not expected that he is generous to the extent that he would take some $14 of his own money and give it in cheap fares to the traveling public. On Thursday, however, he sold tickets to the Wyalusing fair for 65 cents for the round trip. When he cashed in he discovered that he had read instructions wrong and that the fare should have been 85 cents. H. C. Porter kindly came to Mr. Bostwick's rescue and secured the extra 20 cents from most of those who took advantage of the excursion.

Father Kelly Again Ill.

The host of friends in Bradford county of Rev. Charles F. Kelly, for so many years pastor of the Church of SS. Peter and Paul in Towanda, will regret to hear that he is again ill and suffering much and has been forced to again enter St. Joseph's hospital in Philadelphia for treatment. Father Kelly has been connected with St. Joseph's college in that city since his retirement from the active duties of the priesthood.

The King of Sweet Peppers.

E. D. Barrett of upper Bridge street has raised some magnificent sweet peppers this season. One brought to this office weighed 13 ounces and was 16 inches in circumference.

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CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY REPRESENTATIVE HERE.

Annual Meeting of the Local Advisory Board Held Saturday.

Miss Nellie Caldwell, secretary of this district of the Children's Home society was in Towanda on Saturday and Sunday in the interests of that work. Miss Caldwell made many friends during her stay here. She succeeds Mrs. Russell of Harrisburg whose recent death is so much mourned. Miss Caldwell spoke at the Presbyterian and Universalist Sunday school on Sunday and was to have spoken in the Methodist Episcopal church in the evening but was prevented by illness.

The annual meeting of the local advisory board was held Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. N. N. Betts. The treasurer reported that the Towanda board has sent $60 for the work and it was stated that many more children were taken out of Bradford county to be cared for than were being taken by people of the county. A resolution of respect was passed upon the death of Mrs. Russell.

The election of officers resulted in the selection of the following: President, George Ridgeway; vice presidents, Dr. J. S. Stewart, Rev. Herbert H. Graves, Rev. Edwin A. Gernant and Dr. O. A. Houghton; treasurer, Mrs. T. B. Johnson; secretary, Mrs. Simon Rendall; legal advisor, S. H. Smith; medical examiner, Dr. C. M. Pratt; executive committee, the above officers and Miss Blight, chairman, Mrs. N. N. Betts, Mrs. R. A. Mercur, Mrs. J. D. Mercur, Mrs. H. T. June, Mrs. U. M. Fell, Mrs. George Ridgeway, Mrs. M. J. Long, Mrs. Henry E. Rockwell and Miss Louise Powell.

The Towanda branch of the Needlework Guild has sent during the year a box of clothing to the receiving home of the Children's Home society at Pittsburg.

ACCIDENT TO TRAIN ONE.

Pony Trucks Left the Rails at Meshoppen—An Appropriate Text.

Lehigh Valley train No. 1 was two hours late in reaching Towanda on Thursday afternoon due to an accident at Meshoppen. About 50 feet East of the bridge spanning the creek at that point the front truck of the engine left the rails. The train was running nearly a mile a minute, being 58 minutes behind the schedule, but Engineer Millheim of Easton, applied the emergency brakes and brought the train to stop upon the bridge.

The train was a heavy one, packed to the doors with passengers and the escape from a serious wreck was narrow. As the train was brought to a stop a majority of the passengers alighted to watch the work of replacing the trucks, and were confronted with a scripture text, painted in large letters on a rock by some traveling evangelist, reading: "Jesus will save you now." No one was hurt and no material damage was done to the engine.

Friday Night's Dance.

The dance given by the ladies of the Quarry Glen club at the club house on Friday evening proved another success, as the first one was. There were about 100 present. McHenry's orchestra furnished the music and refreshments were served. The feature of the evening was the singing. A number of Quarry Glenners led by Hon. W. T. Davies, sang the club song about sousing in the old frog pond and were accompanied on the piano by Hon. L. T. Hoyt, who is a fast stepper on the ivories. Then the whole crowd joined in singing a number old songs to which Mr. Hoyt played the accompaniment.

Fishermen Discharged by Justice.

Justice Meredith rendered his decision in the case against Clarence Robinson and William Allen, Jr., who were charged by Special Fish Warden Shoemaker with illegal use of an eel weir, finding the defendants not guilty. They were charged with fishing with a weir the license for which is in the name of William Allen, while Mr. Allen was absent. It was proven that the boys were not fishing but had returned to the weir to get a lantern after the botom had been removed from he fish basket.

Succeeding in Cuba.

Bert VanDyke, a former resident of Sayre is achieving success in Cuba. When he lived at Sayre he was for a time a machinist in the shops and for a time conducted a laundry. About six years ago he left and obtained employment as a machinist in Cuba and his promotion were rapid. He is now superintendent of motive power for the railroad of the Spanish-American Iron company with headquarters at Diquare Cuba.

Smith—Wendell.

Schuyler Smith, a Lehigh Valley employe, and Miss Mame Wendell, who was until recently chief operator at the Valley telephone exchange, both of Sayre, were married on Wednesday evening of last week by Rev. E. M. Beysher. Shirley Smith was groomsman, and Miss Myrtle Wendell a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid.

Officer Reelected.

Henry G. Newell, who has done so much to perfect the telephone business throughout this section, was reelected engineer and corresponding secretary at their recent meeting. The consolidation has made no mistake in this selection.—Eastern Bradford Times.

The Wyalusing Fair.

The fair at Wyalusing Thursday was attended by a good sized crowd, about 75 going from Towanda. The feature of the day was a base ball game between the Luzerne Reds and the Cuban Giants. The Cubans won easily by a score of 5 to 2.

TROUBLE AT WYALUSING.

House Burned and Attempt to Crack Safe Made Same Night.

Wyalusing had its share of trouble on Tuesday night. At about 10:30 the house of John Coyle on Gaylord street was discovered to be on fire and despite the work of the fire department it was practically destroyed, only the walls being left standing. Little was saved from the building. There was an insurance of $800 on the building and $500 on the contents.

An attempt was made early yesterday morning to burglarize the office of the Welles Lumber company. The safe was dynamited twice but the door was not blown off. Nothing was secured by the burglars. The noise of the explosion was heard at about 2:30 o'clock. There is no clue to the miscreants.

The explosion of dynamite shattered all the windows in the office of the building. Three strangers, two middle aged men, rather tall, and a third younger man, who have been seen about the village the last few days are the suspected parties. The wires of the Hall automatic signals were cut, stopping all Lehigh Valley trains at the Wyalusing crossing, just after the explosions. It is supposed this was the work of the burglars, who evidently wanted a train to get out of town on.

TO MEET AT ROME.

Owego District Ministerial Association to Assemble There Oct. 23.

The Owego District Ministerial association of the M. E. church, will be held Oct. 23 and 24 at the church in Rome, of which Rev. E. D. Cavanaugh is pastor. Those who will participate in the program are Carl Councilman, William McAlpine, George McAllister, J. F. Warner, L. E. VanHoesen, B. N. Butts, W. G. Simpson, N. W. Barnes, J. B. Davis, N. H. Davis, R. L. Clark, W. E. Webster, C. L. Lewis, and Mrs. Mrs. W. G. Simpson and Mrs. J. F. Warner will discuss woman's home missionary work

On the arrival of trains at Wysox, Monday at 10:30 a. m., westward, and at 5:32 p. m., eastward, conveyances will be prepared only for those who notify Rev, E, D, Cavanaugh of their coming.

Original Strata Uncovered.

Street Commissioner Miller's men in digging the McIntosh block sewer uncovered the strata of former periods of the building of Main street. In front of the Ochs hotel, at a depth of about three feet was found a well preserved plank crossing, and a few feet North at a depth of five feet a stone culvert was struck. In front of the Ochs hotel, nearly six feet deep was uncovered a quantity of leather trimmings believed to be refuse from the old tannery dumped into what was then a low place in the road, and in that vicinity was found a piece of cast iron from the mouth of a flask in making a casting that M. Carman believes came from the foundry operated years ago by his father. South Main street was originally some five feet lower than at present.

Sayre Burglars Sentenced.

Lawrence Bennett, Charles Allen and Harry Nixon, the men charged wih attempting to burglarize the home of Justice Gay in Sayre last week, pleaded guilty before Judge Fanning on Saturday. Bennett was given a sentence of 18 months in the Eastern penitentiary, he having been in trouble that brought him incontact with the police on a previous occasion, and the others for 60 days will help to increase the size of the county stone pile.

Erie's New Coal Station.

The Erie Railroad company has decided to establish a new coaling station in Elmira and to do away with their coaling station at Waverly. About 100 men are engaged at the present time in laying about four miles of tracks in the Southport yards. There will be two miles of new main track which will have switches leading to the coaling tracks. The improvement will cost $200,000.

Wyalusing Pastor Preached Here.

Rev. H. C. Snitcher, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Wyalusing, occupied the pupit of the First Presbyterian church in Towanda Sunday morning and evening. Mr. Snitcher is a graduate of Princeton university and Princeton Theological Seminary, where he held high standing as a student. He has met with success during his ministry at Wyalusing, and was well received yesterday.

More Trouble at Laceyville.

Last Wednesday afternoon at about 4:30 the cable parted down at the oil well and the string of tools together with about 1700 feet of cable dropped to the bottom of the hole, which is 2,120 feet deep. Contractor Jennings is now awaiting fishing tools from Bradford. There is quite a showing of gas, and it is thought that when the drill gets deeper the flow will increase.—Laceyville Messenger.

Suffered Painful Sprain.

Mrs. Fortune of Newark, who has been spending the Summer in Towanda with her sister, Mrs. G. S. Smith, met with a painful accident on Tuesday evening of last week. While descending some steps she caught the heel of her shoe and fell, severely spraining one knee.

Towanda Defeated at Mansfield.

Towanda and Coudersport played ball at the Mansfield fair Thursday. The game was a closely contested one and up to the last inning stood 1 to 0 in favor of Towanda. Coudersport made two in the tenth, making the score 2 and 1.

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RALLY DAY OBSERVED BY METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Large Congregation Out to Hear the Program of Exercises.

There was a large congregation out on Sunday evening at the Methodist Episcopal church at the Rally Day exercises of the Sunday school.

W. J. Bresee, the vice-superintendent, presided, and a delightful program of songs, and recitations by the younger pupils was given, interspersed with vocal solos by Mrs. F. A. Sawyer, Miss Charlotte Young, Miss Louise Felton, and a duet by Miss Myra Smith and W. W. Rooker.

The bright particular feature of the evening were two songs given by the boys of the Anti-Cigarette League, both written by a member of the club. This club now has 50 members enrolled and several applications for membership on hand. It originally consisted of the Sunday school class of Mrs. W. W. Rooker; the class of boys taught by Mrs. Schmauch joined, and then boys from other classes. The club is open to any boy in the town who will take the triple pledge against tobacco, liquor and profanity. The club has a badge—a gold shield bearing the initials of the club in blue.

Preceding the songs by the club Dr. Houghton, pastor of the church, gave a short talk on tobacco, after which the "Badge Song" and one other were given. The badge song, to the tune of the wedding march, was particularly effective:

Born to be free, no slaves are we,
Emblem of liberty our badge shall be,
Golden and blue, loyal and true,
Bright be thy gleams like the sunshine in dew.
Shield of our boyhood, shine in the van,
For cleanness of youth and the manhood of man.
Born to be free, no slaves are we,
Emblem of liberty our badge shall be.
Badge of the free, with hearts and hands,
And courage to do what conscience demands,
We join in our song away with the weed,
Of that which defiles us we have no need.
Lift high our emblem, badge of the brave,
Given of God to shield and to save,
Born to be free, no slaves are we,
Emblem of liberty our badge shall be.

Hon. A. C. Fanning, superintendent of the school, gave a short address on "Flowers." Last Spring flower seeds were given out to children and all through the Summer a portion of the floral decorations used in the church have been furnished by the children from these seeds.

Alleged Theft of Boat.

Fred Johnson, Jake Everts, Fred Doe and Harvey Vanderpool are charged by William Heeman with stealing William's boat and oars. Johnson was arrested by Special Officer Arthur Watson and when arraigned before Justice Orcutt Friday pleaded not guilty. His hearing was continued until Sept. 29. The other parties will be brought before the justice later. Johnson is the young man who ran away from the county house one bitter cold night and got both feet so badly frozen that they had to be amputated. Despite this fact he continues to get his foot in it right along.

Wrist Badly Gashed.

William Heeman, Jr., of Mason alley ran his right arm through a window on Sunday at about midnight with the result that a frightful gash was cut. Policeman Joseph Allen corded the arm and sent for Dr. T. Ben Johnson and Dr. C. M. Woodburn. The right wrist was cut across and down to the tendons. Heeman lost a great quantity of blood before he could get aid but was around yesterday.

Dr. Houghton to Conference.

Rev. O. A. Houghton, Ph. D., pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church in this place, is attending the annual conference of the Central New York district at the Hedding church in Elmira this week. Dr. Houghton enjoys the respect and love of his congregation in Towanda and the church is in a vigorous and prosperous condition. That Dr. Houghton will be returned another year will be the earnest wish of his countless friends here.

FORMER TOWANDIAN DEAD.

Died in a Hospital at Newark While Wife Was in Towanda.

Mrs. Samuel Wilcox of Newark, who is visiting here, received word Friday morning that her husband had died in a hospital at Newark during Thursday night. The dispatch did not give any particulars. Mrs. Wilcox is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clancy of North Towanda and came here to attend the funeral of William Clancy, her brother, who was drowned in the river here. Mr. Wilcox also came on to attend the funeral but had returned to Newark.

Mr. Wilcox was about 43 years of age. He was born at Luthers Mills and for a time lived in Towanda. He was with Bazette & Wood in the Poplar street carriage shop. C. B. Maryott of Smith Bros.' undertaking establishment, went to Newark Friday and the body was brought here for burial. Funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon, with interment in Riverside cemetery.

Here's a Good School.

Honor roll pupils of Macedonia school, for the month beginning Aug. 28, and ending Sept. 22, 1905. Pupils who have been perfect in attendance for the entire month—Nancy Powers, Hazel Ackley, Anna Wheeler, Ruth Jennings, Ethel Wickizer, Anna Stevens, Maud Cole, Laura Cole, Nellie Benjamin, Lilley Benjamin, Belle Benjamin, Augusta Stevens, Mary Stevens, Mary Stevens, Albert Forrest, Harry Ackley, George Benjamin, Hartley Cole, Manley Cole, Mahlon Hicks, Michael Zurn, Harold Westbrook. Those who deserve mention are Leon Wickizer, who has missed one half day; Joel Stevens and Mabel Jennings have missed one day each, and Ralph Vanness, one and one half days on account of sickness.

Mr. Quinlan Spoke.

At the regular Thursday evening service of the First Presbyterian church, E. E. Quinlan of Waynesville, N. C., formerly of Towanda, gave a highly interesting talk on the church work in the section of North Carolina in which Waynesville is situated. Mr. Quinlan told of the wonderful growth of the church there and of the large amount of money which was raised for both home and foreign missions even in the poor communities. Church schools just being opened are crowded with scholars and the outlook along educational and church lines is most promising.

The Same Old Story.

Beggars are always to be guarded against. Just as one begins to get up a little pity for them they steal something. On Saturday a woman badly marked by the small pox visited Mrs. John McIntyre's house on William street, begging. When the woman had gone Mrs. McIntyre found that her gold spectacles were missing.

Where Cigarette Smokers Go.

Attached to Erie train 1 Tuesday was a car conveying 20 young men from New York to the state reformatory at Elmira. They were in charge of two keepers, and were a tough looking crowd of cigarette smokers. Each one was fastened to the car seat by a chain.—Susquehanna Transcript.

Haymakers' Smoker.

Towanda Haymakers Association, No. 359½, gave a very enjoyable smoker in Red Men's hall on Thursday evening, which was attended by some 40 members. Cards were played and refreshments were served. It is the intention to give similar entertainments during the Winter once in four or six weeks.

Bones of Arm Broken.

While L. B. Rundell of North Towanda was loading from a car into a wagon, he slipped and fell. Both bones of the right arm were broken just above the wrist. The accident occurred yesterday afternoon. Dr. T. Ben Johnson attended the injured man.

Elected S. C. I. Trustee.

At the meeting of the Lackawanna Presbytery at Canton last week Rev. H. C. Snitcher of Wyalusing was elected a trustee of the Susquehanna Collegiate Institute in place of Rev. S. C. Hodge who has removed to Trenton, N. J.

SEEKS HERO'S PARDON

Woman Will Ask Higgins to Free Man Who Saved Her Honor.

MAY BE WILLIAM WHITWELL

Missing Harvard Student Answers Description of Chivalrous Youth Who Went to Jail as a Burglar Rather Than Compromise His Friend.

New York, Sept. 25.—Is William Scollay Whitwell, the Harvard senior who mysteriously disappeared in this city on Feb. 6, 1903, the man who is in prison in this state to shield a woman's reputation?

This is the question now asked by the friends of the Harvard student who has been mysteriously missing for more than two years.

When Governor Higgins returns to Albany on Wednesday, Carl Fisher-Hansen, the lawyer who first gave to the world the story of the self sacrifice of the young man, will lay the facts before the governor. The youth caught in the home by the sudden return of the husband posed as a burglar and took a sentence as a thief, pleading guilty, rather than compromise the young matron in the case.

The story has been told how since then the husband has died, and the young widow, now anxious to obtain the release of her champion in her hour of peril, has applied to the lawyer and if anything can be gained by the publicity is willing to have her name made known if the young man's pardon can be arranged.

Blackmailed by Servants.

Until the death of her husband and while her youthful protector was in prison under an assumed name the woman in the case was systematically blackmailed by servants. It is said she gave up in all $80,000 to them to keep their tongues silent while her husband lived. Now that he is dead she has endeavored to save the young man from further sacrifice.

The disappearance of William Scollay Whitwell from Harvard is within the period covered by the story of the lawyer. Whitwell, who was in his senior year, had been abroad and taken a degree and had everything to live for. He left Harvard on the 6th of February and the next morning landed from the Fall River boat to go to his home, then at 37 West Eleventh street, in this city. He never arrived there.

Student Strangely Vanishes.

Whitwell was on the football team, was an all round athlete, a good looking young fellow, the soul of honor, and his friends say that if caught in a position where it would mean the reputation of a woman he would not have hesitated to make the sacrifice even though it meant prison or death for him. They say, also, that he would have assumed a name and have been tried under it to have kept his disappearance a secret.

When Whitwell disappeared every effort was made to trace him, but the earth appeared to have swallowed him up. Hospitals were searched and the morgue visited, and a description of him was sent broadcast without any result. Then the family went to San Francisco, where his wealthy grandfather, Louis B. Bonesteel, lives.

Another missing college man is Frederick Burnham of Harvard, who went to Boston and failed to return. He was a freshman. Carl Fisher-Hansen, who has been retained by the wealthy widow to get the young man from prison, refuses to talk of the case or say if either of these two is serving time for burglary.

FEVER UNDER CONTROL.

New Orleans Schools to Open—Quarantine Situation Improving.

New Orleans, Sept. 22.—Believing, after a conference with Dr. White, that the fever situation is under control, President Wilson will recommend to the school board that the public schools be opened on Oct. 2. Each school is to be thoroughly disinfected at the end of each week. The school in the heart of the originally infected area will remain closed for a month perhaps.

The state board of health officials, surveying the situation, believe that the fever is being overcome in the state and that while there will probably be cases for some time to come there is no danger of a further serious extension of the plague.

The quarantine situation is improving. Local shippers have been notified that dry goods and other freight will be received at all points in Louisiana on the Kansas City Southern via Lake Charles. The Louisiana Railway and Navigation company announces that quarantine has been raised against dry goods along its route in Avoyelles, Rapides, Winn and Natchitoches parishes and the Arkansas Southern will take freight for all points in Louisiana.

There is also an improvement in steamboat traffic, many points along the rivers and bayous now announcing their willingness to take freight from here.

Speelman For National Commander.

Gettysburg, Pa., Sept. 21.—The last session of the Sons of Veterans' encampment was held. The ballots cast for national commander have not all been counted, but enough is known to assure the election of Harley V. Speelman of Cincinnati.

A Farmer's Terrible Death.

Williamsport, Pa., Sept. 21.—David Brady, a Greenwood township farmer, died from terrible injuries sustained the day previous. Mr. Brady, who was seventy years of age, was found unconscious and a prisoner in a barb wire fence into which he had plunged from an embankment. He was disembowled.

TRAIN FLAGGED BY MAMMA.

Checked Flight of Eloping Couple, and Parents Attend Wedding.

Harrisburg, Ill., Sept. 24.—Pursuit by stern parents was carried to a new length by A. J. Webber of Galatia, a wealthy man, and his wife when the matron waved a flaming red carriage robe as a signal and flagged a westbound Illinois Central flyer in which their comely daughter May was speeding toward the home of sunset with Harry Burns, a dashing young station agent employed by the railroad company, and checked the flight of the romantic young persons.

A modern ending was written to the tale, however, when the stern parents, instead of tearing the young woman from her heart's chosen lord, forgave the elopers, sanctioned the issue of a marriage license and gave their blessing to a ceremony that made Miss Webber and young Burns one after all.

Mrs. Webber showed athletic ability of high degree in flagging the flyer. She and her husband caught up with the fugitives just in time to see the train pull out. Instead of turning back, baffled and angry, the girl's mother seized the robe, sprang from the buggy and sped alongside the track, keeping pace with the increasing speed of the express and signaled the driver to stop.

Meanwhile Mr. Webber, who is the richest man in Saline county, urged his fast trotters along the cinder path in his wife's wake, shouting commands to his daughter and her wooer to get off the train and return home.

ARCANUM IN COURTS.

Injunction Granted Restraining the Putting Into Effect of New Rates.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 22.—On the petition of members of the Royal Arcanum Judge Clark of the United States circuit court granted a temporary injunction restraining the supreme council of the Royal Arcanum from putting into effect the advance in rates decided upon at the recent conference at Atlantic City, N. J.

The petitioners allege that the rate will force out of the order every member over fifty years of age.

Judge Clark set Oct. 20 as the date for argument on the question of making the injunction permanent.

Union Meeting of Royal Arcanum.

New York, Sept. 22.—Grand Regent Samuel N. Hoag of the Royal Arcanum has arranged for a union meeting of Arcanumites in the Baptist temple, Third avenue and Schermerhorn street, Brooklyn, to be held next Thursday evening. The purpose of the gathering is to impart information concerning the new schedule of rates. Abb. Landis, known as the fraternal expert actuary, will speak.

HAMILTON FOR MAYOR.

Republicans May Run Straight Ticket In New York.

New York, Sept. 26.—A straight Republican ticket, with Thomas L. Hamilton at the head of it, may be the outcome of the present confusion in the anti-Tammany camp. Mr. Hamilton, who is county clerk and the only organization Republican elected with Mr. Low four years ago, was the original choice of the Republicans for the mayoralty nomination this year. His name was dropped after the fusion negotiations began in earnest early in the summer, but his boom has been started again with something like a hurrah.

The Citizens' Union has presented the name of Robert Grier Monroe to the fusionists. It is not known whether Colonel Monroe is willing to run on the fusion ticket. The Republicans are opposed to his nomination. It is not believed that Colonel Monroe will consent to be the Citizens' Union candidate if that organization decides to put up a third ticket.

PLATT WON'T QUIT.

Senator, In Kansas City, Says He Is Not Very Ill.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 25.—"Absurd! I'm not very ill, as they say. I'm not going to retire from public life. I'm not going to quit. I'm stronger than I was when I started," declared Senator Platt of New York in a private Pullman car at the Union depot.

As he talked he rested wearily against the cushions of his seat.

"I'm going to see President Roosevelt," the senator continued, "and maybe I can tell more about politics after I've talked with him. But I don't want to be interviewed now."

The senator made no effort to leave the car. Mrs. Platt and members of the party, however, took a drive about the city.

CARLETON CONVICTED.

Found Guilty by Brooklyn Jury of Having Two Wives.

New York, Sept. 25.—Frederick E. Carleton was found guilty of bigamy by a jury in Judge Aspinall's court in Brooklyn.

Under the name of James E. McCandless he married Lulu Ketterring in Rochester on Dec. 20, 1897; on Aug. 25, 1903, he wedded Miss Mary J. Smith in Brooklyn, and a year later, Aug. 14, 1904, he married Miss Mary Gorman. The last two wives died mysteriously, and Carleton was suspected of having poisoned them.

A jury has been drawn to try him on the larceny charge made by Henry Schaub.

Shaw to Quit Cabinet Feb. 1.

Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 26.—Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw will leave the cabinet Feb. 1, 1906. He makes the definite announcement in a letter to the Polk County Republican club. In his letter, answering a request for an address, Secretary Shaw stated that he would be busy preparing for the coming session of congress and would be unable to return to Iowa until Feb. 1, upon which date he expected to retire from the cabinet.

IDENTIFY SUIT CASE

Boston Police Near Solution of Winthrop Murder Mystery.

LOOKING FOR SECOND BAG

Divers Seek Satchel Believed to Contain Missing Parts of Young Woman's Body—First Case Belonged to a Doctor—A New Clew.

Boston, Sept. 26.—The police believe that they are near the solution of the green suit case mystery. They have practically established the identity of the owner of the suit case found at Winthrop containing the remains of a young woman.

They have learned, they declare, that a second suit case, containing other parts of the body, was thrown overboard near the spot where the first suit case was found.

Divers are engaged in searching the bottom of the bay for this suit case.

A new clew has come to light in a bundle containing underclothing of a fine quality which was picked up on the shore where it was washed by the tide. The paper in which the clothing was wrapped has been traced to a store in the aristocratic Back Bay district.

The package bore on the outside the tag of a local express company, on which was printed in typewriting the name of R. O. Burnham, 2 Dalton street. R. O. Burnham was found to be Rebecca O. Burnham, who conducts a fancy goods store.

Woman Recognizes Tag.

Miss Burnham recognized the tag immediately and explained, without having been informed of the circumstances, that she frequently received express packages from the Salter Silk company, at 125 Kingston street.

"The last package I received from there was last Friday," she said. "That was the day after the body was found."

"What disposition do you make of the paper after you have unwrapped these bundles?" was asked.

"Sometimes I throw it away," she replied, "and other times I keep it to wrap up small sales."

The identity of the suit case appears to be pretty well established, according to the police, who decline to give names.

Identity of Suit Case.

A young man who said he was the office boy of a prominent physician, whose name, as well as that of the boy, is withheld, was taken to police headquarters, and after looking at the suit case declared he had had it in his hands not more than a month ago.

"I've handled it many times," said the boy. "The doctor I worked for up to two weeks ago used it when he went away on short trips."

Medical Examiner Harris has filed with District Attorney Sughorne his report on the autopsy.

Dr. Harris expresses the belief that the victim was between eighteen and twenty-five years old. The appearance of the torso, he says, indicates that she was not dead more than twenty-four hours when the torso was discovered, and it is believed that the suit case had been in the water about ten hours at the outside when it was found.

"The woman had light brown hair," said Dr. Harris in conclusion. "A long hair from the head was found on the oilcloth in which the torso was wrapped."

Duchess Under the Knife.

New York, Sept. 26.—The Duchess of Marlborough is now a patient in the private sanitarium of Dr. William T. Bull at 33 East Thirty-third street, where she is recovering from the effects of a slight operation made necessary by throat trouble. Dr. H. Holbrook Curtis, a well known specialist in throat diseases, was the attending surgeon. The operation was one which did not occasion any great shock, but at the direction of the physician the duchess will remain for a day or two in the sanitarium until she is thoroughly rested.

Higgins Returns to Albany.

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Governor Higgins returned to Albany and resumed the official duties interrupted by his vacation abroad. Several important appointments await his action, and he expects to remain here the rest of the week. The governor spent the day with his heavy mail. He still declines to discuss the insurance investigation.

Cardinal Visits Italian King.

Milan, Sept. 26.—Cardinal Ferrari, archbishop of Milan, visited King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena at the royal palace, where the sovereigns are sojourning. His majesty conferred with the cardinal for half an hour. The visit is commented upon in connection with the reapproachment between church and state.

Speaker Nixon Very Low.

Westfield, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Speaker Nixon spent a fairly good night after the operation for intestinal abscess, but the case was further complicated by pneumonia setting in. The attending physicians are unable to give a very favorable report at this time.

Fourth Class Postmasters.

Washington, Sept. 26.—The following fourth class postmasters were appointed:

New York—Natural Dam, Archie E. Risley.

Pennsylvania—Grimville, William H. Lenhart.

Alaska Booming.

Washington, Sept. 26.—Brigadier General Greely, chief signal officer of the army, reports a tremendous increase in the commercial business handled by the Alaskan telegraph system.

GHENT.

Paul Horton is so far recovered from his recent serious illness as to be able to ride out frequently.

Mrs. Carey of Cazenovia seminary spent Sunday with friends in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Herson White of Havana, Cuba, spent a few days calling on old friends and relatives in this place last week.

Mrs. John Bryan of Morris, is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. M. D. Towner.

Mrs. B. L. Gillett fell on Saturday from a chair, on which she was standing to the floor and sustained quite a serious injury.

The Ladies' Aid at E. M. Vought's last week Thursday was quite largely attended and a pleasant social time enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Eliza Ransom spent last Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. G. V. McAllister, at Lockmoody, N. Y.

MAC.

The Lane reunion was held at the home of Wayland Lane Friday.

Master Leland Grennell of Athens, spent a few days last week at C. F. Grennell's.

L. Leonard and family of Saco, visited at J. D. Leonard's on Sunday.

Mrs. G. B. Gustin is gaining.

Miss Fanny Grennell of this place has gone to teach the Pisgah school in West Burlington.

Geo. Schill and family were guests at B. O. Smith's on Sunday.

Takes the burn out; heals the wound; cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, the household remedy.

CAMPTOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clapper visited their daughter at Skinners' Eddy Sunday.

Mrs. Eliza Chaffee has returned to Lewistown having spent the Summer here.

Alfred Arenander of New York, spent last week with friends here.

Mrs. Piper and daughter Pearl, of Orwell, visited Mrs. Ellen McCumber recently.

Mrs. F. A. Brewster of Lestershire, is spending a few weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Lafferty spent last week in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hammerly and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daugherty returned last week from a visit with New York friends.

Mrs. Ellen Colt has returned to Towanda after spending several weeks at W. S. Chaffee's.

Mr. and Mrs. Asher Chaffee, of Monroeton, spent Sunday in town.

One of nature's remedies; cannot harm the weakest constitution; never fails to cure summer complaints of young or old. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

TOWNER.

Frank Cole and his cousin, Miss Tessie Walker, of East Herrick, visited at Charley Cole's recently.

Mrs. Polly Drake of Vawter, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Freeman Marshall.

Mrs. Frank Rifenburg, and Mrs. Charley Cole visited Mrs. Charley Forbes of North Rome Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Allen made a business trip to Ulster Friday.

Mrs. John Rifenburg of Delaware, is visiting her brother, Frank Rifenburg and family.

Mrs. Leslie Marshall and children are expected to return to their home in this place soon from Nebraska, where Mrs. Marshall has been staying for the past six months caring for her parents; her mother died recently and her father is still in very poor health.

It's folly to suffer from the horrible plague of the night, itching piles. Doan's Ointment cures, quickly and permanently. At any drug store, 50 cents.

OVERSHOT.

Miss Nash of Antrim, spent a day with Miss Ellen M. Lynch last week.

Misses Katie and Josie O'Sullivan of Towanda, spent a few days with their mother last week.

F. N. Hatch and D. O'Sullivan have I. M. Gillett's house nearly completed. William Keyser of Towanda is doing the mason work.

Bone pickers must make a large profit. One of them gathered a load on a rubber tired wagon recently.

James Dunn and Mr. Bostwick have finished shingling B. O'Hearn's house.

Ellen M. Lynch and Mrs. James Dunn and children spent a couple of days in Troy last week.

Corn and buckwheat are cut; corn is a poor crop, while buckwheat is very good.

A Plank Road young man and a young fellow from this place got somewhat mixed a few days ago over the girl question. Things were lively for a time, but no blood was shed.

When doctors fail, try Burdock Blood Bitters. Cures dyspepsia, constipation; invigorates the whole system.

The Silent Drums In France.

The French minister of war proposes to abolish the drum, says the London Chronicle. This was done by one of his predecessors a quarter of a century ago, but an incident at a theater compelled him to cancel the order. The curtain went up on one of those pieces of fun the French call "revues" and disclosed a scene described as the bowels of the earth. Enter several men in dark military cloaks, carrying mysterious packages and generally comporting themselves like conspirators. The packages are opened, and there emerge—drums! The conspirators are drummers, who have descended into the bowels of the earth to enjoy a gentle tattoo on their beloved but forbidden instruments. When the drums broke into a joyous roll, as of captives released, there was a peal of laughter from the audience, and everybody knew the drum was saved. That is how they correct the war office in France. Perhaps M. Betteaux will have better luck.

THE STATE CAMPAIGN

Every County Sends Favorable Reports on the

PRESENT POLITICAL CONTEST.

J. Lee Plummer, Candidate for State Treasurer, Given a Splendid Reception by Club Men—Digest of Speech He Made at Easton Recently.

The Republican campaign is now under way in earnest. The aggressive young Republicans of the State League of Clubs fired the first gun at their big convention in Easton, and since then there has been a booming of heavy artillery all along the line.

From every county comes reports that the Republican skirmishers are out, that the lines are extended in every direction and that the enemy is to be pressed to speedy conclusions at every point.

"Every Republican of Pennsylvania who realizes the significance of the present contest and the far-reaching effect of the result of the November election upon the future of the party will be found fighting for the entire Republican ticket."

Chairman Andrews has been overrun with callers from every county of the state during the last week, and is delighted with the situation and the outlook for a sweeping Republican majority.

Plummer Given An Ovation.

J. Lee Plummer, the Republican nominee for state treasurer, was given a great ovation by the Republican clubmen at Easton. He made a splendid speech, in which, among other things, he said:

"It is our proud boast today that the treasury of the commonwealth has never lost a dollar through the default of a state treasurer.

"When the Republican party came into power in Pennsylvania, real estate, trades and occupations, horses and cattle, household furniture and watches were all taxed for state purposes. Just as soon as the war was over the people were relieved of these taxes, so that now the only individual who pays a state tax is the one who has money at interest, and three-fourths of this tax, amounting in 1904 to $2,900,574, is returned to the counties in relief of local taxation. No man's home in Pennsylvania is taxed to support the state government.

"The policy of relieving local taxation is carried out in respect to the hotel licenses; four-fifths of the money received from this source is returned to the cities, boroughs and townships in which the hotels paying the licenses are located. More than $3,000,000 is returned to the municipalities each year from this source.

Liberal Support of Schools.

"The appropriation to the public schools is also made to relieve the people in their local taxes. In 1904 the princely sum of $6,256,167 was paid to the counties for this purpose

"During the 45 years odd administrations of the government of Pennsylvania by the Republican party taxation of real estate, etc., for state purposes has been abolished, a debt of $40,000,000 has been paid, a surplus of several millions of dollars accumulated in the treasury and over $214,451,000 returned to the counties in relief of local taxation.

"Gentlemen, this is a record to be proud of, and I challenge any state in the United States or any country in the world to equal it.

"In nothing is the policy of the Republican party in this state to be more commended than in its appropriations for charitable and educational purposes."

Pennsylvania's Shame.

J. Hampton Moore, the progressive young Republican president of the National League of Clubs, in his speech at the Easton convention stirred the delegates to a high pitch of enthusiasm, when he said:

"It is a shame and a disgrace today that Pennsylvanians that are second to none in patriotism, morals and good citizenship, are subjected to invidious comment whenever they come in contact with the citizens of other states. This is due to the persistent and malignant circulation of slanderous untruths relating to the administration of public affairs, which slanders are the result solely of motives of disappointed ambition and revenge.

"The Republican candidate for state treasurer, a man of unquestioned respectability, whose home life is indorsed by his neighbors, has been the butt of misrepresentation and ridicule from the day of his nomination. Every other candidate has been subjected to the same kind of unfair criticism. And by whom?

"Mere factionists coalescing with Democrats who have offered nothing for a change of Republican faith except a nominee for state treasurer whose public life has been as varied as the hues of a chameleon.

Berry "a Human Talking Machine."

"For a stalwart Republican devoted to all the principles of freedom, protection and prosperity for which Lincoln, Grant, McKinley and Roosevelt have stood, they have offered an enigma, a human talking machine, who has never been for anything that has been successful, but who has devoted what talent he may possess to advocating destructive heresies like free trade, free silver and single tax—an anomaly in that besides being a Democrat he is a Prohibitionist.

Bloodhounds Find a Wild Man.

Binghamton, N. Y., Sept. 25.—After terrifying the neighborhood for ten days, shooting at relatives and others, Merritt Amsbry, who had come to be known as the Broome county wild man, has been found by bloodhounds and captured after he shot himself in the head.

WETONA.

Macy Reeser of Rochester, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Reeser.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet at the home of Wm. Sturges on Wednesday of this week.

Nelson Stannard and sister Anna spent last week with Mansfield friends.

A social will be held at William Young's on Wednesday evening of this week, for the benefit of the M. E. church.

Francis Eiffert of East Smithfield, and Miss Belva Hicks of Wetona, accompanied by Harry Freelove and Miss Verna Wilber of Burlington, were married by Rev. B. D. Showers at Wellsburg, N. Y., on Tuesday, Sept. 19. Long may they enjoy a happy married life.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Braund and George Yates spent Friday and Saturday with Elmira friends.

EAST TROY.

B. F. Shattuck is working at the carpenter's trade in Elmira.

Mrs. Jennie Horton and son Roy and daughter Vieva have returned from a visit at Wellsburg and Elmira.

Messrs. F. P. and Leon Vannoy started Monday morning with some of their Jersey cattle for the Bradford county fair.

Rev. W. H. S. Loller went to Elmira on Tuesday to attend the annual conference. The community greatly desires his return to this charge for another year.

All members of the W. C. T. U. should attend the reception on Thursday afternoon at the M. E. parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rathbone of Sylvania, formerly of this place, are rejoicing over the advent of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Parke spent Sunday in Elmira.

Well, if they did get lost they found themselves all right, near Wetona. Accidents will happen in the best regulated families.

LEONA.

Miss Mary Landon returned to her home in Elmira on Thursday after spending some time with friends in this place.

Mrs. Spencer of Elmira is spending some time at W. F. Daly's.

Mrs. Willson Grace of Milan, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Darrow, part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ballard of Cedar Ledge, spent Sunday at G. S. Ballard's.

Mrs. Goddard of Troy, visited Saturday last at Elmer Ross's.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Wolcott of Springfield, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. B. S. Guthrie.

Mrs. Martin Harkness and Mrs. Martha Cooper are visiting in Elmira.

Mrs. Anna Baker and little son returned to her home in Coatsville and Miss Mary Griffith to Philadelphia, after spending the Summer at A. T. Griffith's.

Jesse Guthrie spent Saturday and Sunday at Bentley Creek.

LUTHERS MILLS.

George Madagan and wife and Mrs. Lara Campbell visited at Harvey's, near Canton, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Grove Lane spent a few days in Sayre last week.

Mrs. John Gustin is ill.

Miss Crofutt of Carpenter, is visiting friends at this place.

All the news while it is news.

ASYLUM.

Miss Fannie Homet and Edward Homet spent Wednesday of last week here.

Mrs. J. S. Morey is ill. Those on the sick list of last week are better, but still under the doctor's care.

Garfield Herrick stepped on a nail last week and hurt his foot, but was able to attend the fair Tuesday.

Born, on Saturday, Sept. 23, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Elta Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller spent Sunday with the gentleman's father.

Rev. D. J. Ebert preached his farewell sermon Sunday afternoon.

There was a W. C. T. U. meeting Sunday evening. Leader, Mrs. N. P. Moody.

WEST FRANKLIN.

W. D. Morse, Esq., was over from Troy Sunday.

Ed. Jones of Sykesville, visited at Theo. S. Wilcox last week.

Dennis Whipple, wife and daughter of LeRoy, spent Sunday at Mrs. Minnie Anderson's.

Mrs. J. L. Clark of Corning, visited her sister, Mrs. H. B. Burroughs, last week.

Rev. John C. Murphy preached his farewell sermon here Sunday.

C. G. Bonney, wife and Miss Irene of Towanda, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Bonney of LeRoy, and George Gamble of Cuba, N. Y., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Burroughs Sunday.

WESAUKING.

Mrs. Stephen Harlow is poorly.

Mrs. M. J. Spencer and daughter Emma are convalescing slowly.

George Lent is visiting his sister, Mrs. H. S. Vanness at Buffalo.

Miss Adelaide Bull has returned home after a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. Frederick, at North Rome.

Miss Grace Chamberlin of Westfield, N. Y., is visiting at W. S. Barne's.

Mrs. Lewis Jennings of Macedonia, spent Sunday at Albert Lent's.

SACO.

Mrs. Thomas Morrison is able to be out again.

Mrs. A. D. McMorran is suffering with a felon on her finger.

Lee Vincent and daughter of Binghamton visited his mother at this place last week.

Gordon Howie of this place started for Penn Yan Saturday.

Harrison Heath of Athens is calling on old friends at this place.

Miss Florence Lewis, who has been spending a few weeks in Binghamton, Sayre and Athens, has returned home.

There will be an inspection of the Grange here Oct. 14. It is very essential that all members shall be present.

NORTH ORWELL.

Miss Flora Boardman, who has spent the past six months in California, is visiting her parents for a short time; she will return to New York for the Winter.

L. J. Tyrrell and Gordon Knapp, were the recipients of some fish presented them by D. C. Tyrrell, who caught them on his trip to the lake.

Miss Mabel Deuel has been quite ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Deuel visited at Gordon Knapp's Sunday.

Mrs. Eliza Higgins has been spending a few days near LeRaysville.

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Happenings in the County

Gathered by Special Correspondents In Many Towns

MACEDONIA.

The L. S. S. will meet with Mrs. Martha Cole Thursday, Oct. 5.

Mrs. E. Wickizer went on the excursion Sunday to her old home at Pittston.

In Thursday's Daily Review was an account of Mr. Vought and another gentleman of LeRaysville making a record of cutting 223 stouts, each stout containing 25 hills of corn, in ten hours. Last Saturday, Sept. 23, a young farmer in this place cut 108 stouts each containing 36 hills in eight hours, an equivalent to 155 such stouts as the LeRaysville gentlemen cut. If anyone can beat this record we would like to hear from them.

DURELL.

Born on Saturday, Sept. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Miller, a daughter.

Mrs. Joseph Stevens of Standing Stone, visited her parents Sunday.

Miss Alma Hall of New Albany, is sewing for Mrs. G. E. Delong.

Sunday school closed Sept. 24 for the Winter.

Wm. Stethers of New Albany, visited his uncle, P. S. Haight, Saturday.

Mrs. Northrup of Mehoopany, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Ackley, here.

WEST BURLINGTON.

Mrs. Walter Dubert and sons, John and Harold, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, near Milan, and other relatives in Athens and Sayre several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Blackwell of Syracuse, are spending some time with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Blackwell, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Knapp of Elmira, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ward last week.

Misses Eliza and Elizabeth Case attended the Mansfield fair last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Blackwell returned last week from a visit with their brothers in Syracuse and Elmira.

Rev. W. H. S. Loller goes to conference this week; we hope he will be returned here.

LEROY.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Whipple are visiting the lady's brother, David Gleockler, in Delaware county, N. Y., this week.

There will be an ice cream social at the Disciple church next Saturday evening. Everyone invited.

Eugene Kelly's youngest child is still very sick with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Arthur Palmer went last Thursday to Virginia, where she will spend some time visiting her parents.

The funeral of Dennis Kelly was held at the house of S. B. Morse, last Wednesday at 1 o'clock; interment in LeRoy cemetery.

Hillis Henson has gone to Elmira, to work in the D. L. & W. depot as telegraph operator.

Burroughs Montgomery of Troy, visited his daughter at C. A. Kelly's last week.

Miss Mildred Murphy has returned home after six weeks' stay in New York state.

The Grangers of this place are contemplating a fair to be held some time next month.

LIBERTY CORNERS.

Mrs. Emma Stevens of Towanda, is visiting at Winfield Scott's.

Mrs. W. E. Lewis of Bernice, and Mrs. I. S. McNeal of Towanda, visited at W. E. Grigg's one day last week.

There will be no services in the church next Sunday.

Warren Stevens of Elmira, is spending some time with his uncle, E. W. Stevens.

Miss Louise Kiser of Towanda, visited friends in this place last week.

Matthias Ebert has finished his work at Franklin and is now at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Braund of Ellis Hill, attended church here Sunday.

Edward Cranmer and family of Masontown, spent Sunday at Chas. Streevy's.

Mrs. W. W. Dimock, Mrs. J. W. Acla and Miss Alice Irvine attended the W. C. T. U. convention at Smithfield last week. Mrs. W. W. Dimock remained over Sunday.

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WINDHAM.

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Owen of Savanah, Ga., Miss Edna of New York, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Howell, Rev. C. L. and Mrs. Lewis of Nichols, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Stanton on Friday last.

Sabra Russell spent last week with her sister, Mrs. George Manning, at Cadis.

Mrs. A. P. Boardman, who has been spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Fay Dunham, returned to her home at North Orwell Sunday.

Mrs. Lydia Maine of Scranton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. D. Russell.

Walter Dunham of Buffalo, is visiting his brother, L. B. Dunham, this week.

Irving Woolcott is attending school at Kingston.

The Reporter-Journal covers the news of the whole county every week.

RIDGEBURY.

Mrs. John Ayers, who was taken very ill Saturday of neuralgia of the stomach, is some better atp resent.

Wm. Dewitt and wife of Waverly were callers her on Sunday.

The Misses Bertha and Ella May attended the wedding of their cousin, Samuel Northrup of Waverly, and Miss Mabel VanCleft Wednesday evening at the home of her uncle, Wm. Lowe in Elmira.

Little Inez Hanlon is quite seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Owen, Will Owen and Mr. and Mrs. John Owen attended the Jenkins reunion at Mr. Berry's at Troy on Friday.

Guy May and Jerome Dickerson are very busy threshing and filling silos.

G. W. Mead, an old gentleman, is very poorly.

Mrs. Dr. C. W. M. Brown of Elmira, and Mrs. Fred King of Ithaca visited their brother, Algernon Sydney, and family last week.

Walter Pease, wife and son returned to their home in Elkland Sunday after a short visit at Dell Larrison's.

HERRICKVILLE.

Mrs. G. N. Baker was visiting at South Hill Sunday.

An exciting game of ball aws played Saturday between the "old players" and the "young players." The little fellows did admirably, and can only be beaten by Baker as pitcher. Score 10 to 7.

A three days' meeting will be held at the W. M. church conducted by Elder Tilden, beginning Oct. 6. Mr. Tilden is an able preacher and many will be glad to welcome him.

The social held by the ball team was well attended. Receipts about $5.

ELWELL.

Mrs. John Oliver is ill.

Mrs. George Morningstar and daughter of Colley, were the guests of Mrs. Charles Morningstar, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Sweet and little son started for Harperville, N. Y. Thursday of last week where they will locate for a time.

A slight mistake in last week's letter, "Mrs. Charles Finney" should have read "Mrs. Newton Finney."

POWELL.

A large delegation from Powell attended the county convention of the W. C. T. U. at Smithfield last week.

A New England supper was held at the home of W. Ward on Monday evening for the benefit of Rev. L. L. Wilcox; proceeds $11.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Jennings and Mrs. F. O. Lantz enjoyed the excursion to Wilkesbarre on Sunday.

The proceeds from the Orpheus Jubilee Singers concert were $35, half of which was given to the church.

The sick are no better with the exception of Mrs. John Harvey, who is able to ride out and who visited at Roy Harvey's on Sunday. Mrs. Eugene Sheridan and baby and Miss Helen Benedict are ill.

Rev. H. F. Gould goes this week to attend Westminster College. His wife and child will remain with her parents in Powell.

Mrs. Hattie Benedict is visiting in Canton this week.

Eugen Sheridan has moved into the house vacated by W. Chilson.

Mrs. Mary Thurston expects to move to Athens instead of to Masontown soon.

SYLVANIA.

Mrs. C. E. Waldo is visiting friends in Elmira.

C. E. Padgett of Canton, is filling the place in the cheese factory vacated by James Wakely.

The Mansfield Normal students from this place are spending their vacation home.

Mrs. Nettie Osborne of of Elmira, is visiting Mrs. Juliet Peck.

Miss Esther Cowan, who has been visiting friends in Covington, returned home Sunday.

Miss Lenora Furman is visiting friends in Lawrenceville.

Clarence Mosher has been improving his residence with a new stone sidewalk.

D. D. Alexander has been to Newark, N. Y., renewing old acquaintances.

Eva Pierce is improving slowly from a broken limb.

Incredible Brutality.

It would have been incredible brutality if Chas. F. Lemberger, of Syracuse, N. Y., had not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," he says, "ctu a fearful gash over his eye, so I applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which quickly healed it and saved his eye." Good for burns and ulcers too. Only 25c at Turner's drug store.

WEST OVERTON.

William Clark died on Monday of last week aged about 80 years. Besides his aged wife he is survived by one son and two daughters. Funeral services were largely attended Thursday forenoon at Sugar Ridge.

Jonas Updegraff is visiting friends at Himrod, N. Y.

Mrs. Leora Francisco of Corning, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mattie Updegraff.

Low Fare Excursions

to Colorado and Pacific coast points. On account of Lewis and Clark exposition and various conventions in Colorado and on the Pacific coast, during the season special low fare excursion tickets will be sold, which will provide a most delightful trip through the west at a cost of about one-half of the usual railroad fare. Ask Lehigh Valley ticket agents for particulars.

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WELLS.

Jud Heater is critically ill at his home at Mosherville. A consultation of doctors was held on Saturday.

Mrs. Daniel Campbell of Elmira, and Miss Monica Flynn of Pittsburg, are guests of Mrs. T. J. Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Curren are entertaining his grandmother, Mrs. Sammons of Mt. Zoar, and his cousin from Washington state.

Mrs. Edward VanDine, nee Lucy Brewer, of Mosherville, does not recuperate from her long illness.

Miss Frances Tillinghast is visiting at Watkns.

Owen Judson has repaired the fences on the Sawdey farm and stocked it with young cattle. He now wants a tenant for the house.

A base ball game between the Glen Noble team and the Bird Creek boys last Saturday resulted in a victory for Bird Creek by a score of 26 to 13.

John Hurley of Ridgebury, employed on the Allen lumber job, had about half his right thumb cut off on Saturday. He was skidding logs with one horse, and while driving the "grab hook" in the last log for the day and the week, the horse started, catching his thumb under the hook and mangling it. Dr. C. F. Kiersted dressed the wound.

Elmer Hall has the handsomest, exactly matched yoke of Holstein-Friesan oxen to be found in all the country round.

If somebody doesn't pick the loose stones from the roads hereabouts and otherwise improve said roads they are liable to "hear something drop" as was recently the case over in Tioga county.

Mrs. George Mattison and children of Elmira, are visiting here and at Gillett.

James Hoose spent Sunday in Elmira.

STEVENSVILLE.

Mrs. Stella White of Cold Creek, spent most of last week sewing at E. H. Goodwin's.

A. A. Babcock of Pike, was calling in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Fassett spent Friday at S. W. Stevens's.

Mrs. Porter of Wyalusing, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rolland Crandal, of this place.

E. H. Goodwin was in Laceyville on Saturday.

Rev. James Wilkes spent part of last week at Canton.

GILLETT.

Miss Daisy Roby of Elmira, has been visiting friends in this place.

George Wilson, while repairing Mrs. Mary E. Wilson's house roof, had the misfortune to slip and fall to the ground receiving some very bad injuries.

James Empey of Elmira, is making extensive repairs and building a new silo on his farm near this place, known as the Moore farm. L. B. Dunning and F. L. Palmer are doing the carpenter work.

Dr. H. T. Kinsman is moving on his farm near Fassett.

George Jenkins and son Harry of Interlaken, N. Y., are visiting friends and relatives in this place.

John McKee and famliy of Bentley Creek, visited friends in this place Sunday last.

Mrs. Lydia Allen and sons Lewis and Dana visited friends at Thompson Hill Saturday and Sunday last.

SPRINGFIELD.

Mrs. Ray Mattocks has been under the doctor's care for several days past, but is improving again.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harkness visited their son at Mainesburg and attended the Mansfield fair last week.

Rev. Hazleton of Breeseport, moved his family to this place last week.

Stanley Harkness cut his finger bardly last week, while cutting corn.

Miss Stevens and nephew of Elmira Heights, who has been visiting Mrs. Richard Burnham for several weeks, returned to her home last Tuesday.

James Patterson and son are building a new granary for Stanley Harkness.

Rev. Thomas Mitchell of Troy, will deliver his annual sermon in the Baptist church on Oct. 8.

Mrs. Emerson Crediford entertained her cousin, from the Mansfield Normal school last Saturday.

Mrs. Henrietta Bliss and Miss Alice Crediford attended the Grange feast at Big Pond Saturday night.

COVEY HILL.

Henry Schultz died at his home in this place on Wednesday morning of last week, after a brief illness of catarrh of the stomach. He is survived by one son, Charles, at home, and one brother, Fred, of New York. Funeral services were held in Dushore, with interment in the Thrasher cemetery.

Mrs. Corson and Mrs. Sidney Rogers spent Thursday at Mrs. Len Strope's.

Elias Chapman and family spent Sunday at Charles Chapman's at Laddsburg.

Robert Rogers of Smithfield, was calling in this neighborhood on Friday.

Fred Schultz of New York city, is spendng some days here, called home by the death of his brother.

Miss Estella Chapman is spending the week in Towanda.

Mrs. Jennie Mann of Terrytown, is staying for some time at Charles Schultz's.

The Colonel's Waterloo.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo, from Liver and Kidney trouble. In a recent letter, he says: "I was nearly dead, of these complaints, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold and guaranteed to cure, Dyspepsia, Billiousness and Kidney Disease, by Turner the druggist, at 50c a bottle.

MONROETON.

Miss Gertrude Eastabrook of Towanda, visited Miss Clara Decker over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown of New York city, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Willliam Minard

J. E. Nicely of Williamsport, is spending a few days at A. Lloyd Rockwell's.

Mrs. Margaret Shiner of Owego, spent the past week with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holcombe are at Pittsburg this week attending the meeting of the State Editorial association.

A. L. Grace spent the fore part of the week at Athens.

Mrs. H. K. Mott of LeRoy, is spending a few days at the home of Charles Holcombe.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Cranmer entertained their many friends at their home last Friday evening.

Max Cranmer starts Wednesday for Minneapolis to begin a three years' course at an Agricultural College.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Campbell attended a meeting of the Presbytery at Canton last week.

"Billy" Munn, the comedian from Old Monroe, is visiting his mother and sister in this place.

Rev. L. L. Wilcox is attending the sessions of the Central New York Methodist Episcopal conference at Elmira.

FRANKLINDALE.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ranner of Hornellsville, visited Mrs. Ranner's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Brown, last week.

About $44 was realized at the chicken pie supper Friday evening for the benefit of the pastor.

John Phelps spent Sunday with friends at Powell.

Mrs. Hiram Rockwell of Powell, visited at C. T. Sickler's last week.

F. W. Brizzy, a former resident of this place, is seriously ill at his home at Monroeton.

A part of the Salvation Army corps of Towanda conducted services at the M. E. church Sunday evening.

Leon and Miss Louise Rockwell of Keating Summit, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Willey.

BLACK CREEK.

School began Sept. 18 with Miss Anna Byron teacher.

Frank Bird and Lee Sherman of Overton, were callers in this place Sunday.

Wm. Bartlow and family of Bernice, were calling at Wm. Sherman's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rettberg of French Creek, were guests at F. C. Teeter's Sunday.

J. C. Teeter was visiting in this place last week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Shaffer and children visited at State Road Saturday and Sunday.

O. N. and Allan Streevy went last Tuesday to Big Bottom to work.

The Only Survivor

of the Hayes Artic Expedition, Mr. S. J. McCormick, now U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor, Bliss Station, Idaho, says: "For years I have suffered from severe pains in the hip joint and back bone, depriving me of all power. The cause was Stone in the Bladder and Gravel in the Kidneys. After using Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., I was completely cured."

THE MARKETS.

The Market Reports in the Reporter Journal and Republican are corrected every week. For Towanda, the quotations on Groceries and Provisions are furnished by M. J. Long; on Hay, Straw and Grain by the Susquehanna Valley Hay Co. The Troy markets are reported by F. H. Hovey, and the General Markets are from the Produce and Live Stock Exchanges.

Towanda Provision Market.

	PAYING	SELLING.
BUTTER	18c to 20c	
EGGS	22c	
CHEESE		15
LARD		11 a 12c
BEESWAX	22 a	
BEANS	$1.80 a $2.25	
CORN	60c to 65c	
OATS	32c to 36c	
CORN MEAL		$1.40 a 1.50
FEED		$1.20 a 1.30
FLOUR, per sack		$1.30 a 1.70
POTATOES	to c	

Towanda Hay and Grain Market.

LOOSE HAY—No. 1, $9; No. 2, $6; clover mixed, $5.

BALED HAY—No 1, $11; No. 2, $8; No. 3, $6.

STRAW—Loose Long rye, $ 7; loose short rye, $4, loose oat, $3; baled short rye, $7; baled oat straw $5.

Troy Markets.

	PAYING
BUTTER, fresh tubs	1 8c to
EGGS	21c
BEESWAX	a 22c
OATS, per bushel	32 a 35c
POTATOES, per bushel	35to 40
BUTTER, prints	23c 24c

General Markets.

New York, Sept. 26.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, per pound, 20¼a20½c. (Mercantile Exchange official quotation, extras, 20c.); firsts, 19a20c.; seconds, 18a18½c.; thirds, 17a17½c.; state dairy, tubs, extras, 19¼c.; firsts, 18½a19c.; seconds, 17½a18c.; thirds, 16½a17c.

CHEESE—State, full cream, small, colored and white, fancy, 12c.; fair to choice, 11¼a11¾c.; large, colored and white, fancy, 11¾a12c.; fair to choice, 11a11½c.; light skims, choice, 9¼a10c.; part skims, prime, 8¾a9c.; good, 7¼a7¾c.; common to fair, 6a6¾c.; full skims, 2½a3½c.

EGGS—State, Pennsylvania and nearby, selected, white, fancy, new laid, 28a30c.; choice, 26a27c.; mixed, extra, 24a25c.; firsts to extra firsts, 21a23c.; dirties, 13a16½c.; checks, 12a15c.; refrigerators, 17a21c.

LIVE POULTRY—Chickens, spring, per pound, 12c.; roosters, old, per pound, 8½c.; turkeys, per pound, 13c.; pigeons, per pair, 20c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, spring, dry picked, mixed sizes, per pound, 16a20c.; scalded, 15a18c.; chickens, spring, Philadelphia, choice to fancy, 16a20c.; other Pennsylvania and state, choice to fancy, 14a15c.; fair to good, 11a13c.; old cocks, per pound, 9a9½c.; ducks, spring, Long Island and eastern, per pound, 16a17c.; Pennsylvania, Jersey and Connecticut, 13a16c.; squabs, prime, white, 8 pounds to dozen, per dozen, $3a3.50; 7 pounds to doz, $2.50a2.75; 6 pounds to dozen, $2a2.25; mixed, $1.75a2.15; dark, $1.25a1.75; culls, 50c.a$1.

DRESSED MEATS—Fair demand for dressed beef at 6½a9c. per pound for native sides, and a little fancy beef exceeded quotations; calves firm at 8½a13c. per pound for city dressed veals, with selected carcasses reaching 13¾c.; country dressed at 7a12c.; mutton firm at 7a9c. per pound; lambs at 9½a13c.

Republican County Convention.

Will be held October 5, 1905. Primaries Saturday September 30, 1905. Rules governing the primary elections and Vigilance Committee.

Headquarters of the Republican Standing Committee of Bradford County.

Towanda, Pa., Sept. 6, 1905.

Pursuant to the direction of the Republican Standing Committee of Bradford County, in a duly called meeting of said Committee, held on Wednesday, the 30th day of August, 1905, there will be a convention of the Republican voters of Bradford County, at the Court House in Towanda, on Thursday, Oct. 5, 1905, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of nominating one person to be voted for at the election to be held November 7, 1905, for the office of Prothonotary, there being a vacancy on the ticket nominated at the last Republican Convention by reason of the death of Frank Pike of Sayre Borough, and to transact such other business as may be properly brought before said Convention.

The primary election to elect delegates to the said County convention and to vote instructions to the delegates of the Republican county convention will be held on Saturday, Sept. 30, 1905, at the usual place and time of holding the same or at such other place and time as the vigilance committee in each district shall designate.

The primary election shall be conducted by a judge and two inspectors, who shall be chosen by the voters present at the hour fixed for the opening of the polls, and shall serve during such meeting.

The judge of the primary election shall be elected by a viva voce vote publicly taken, or by division of the house, if called for, and shall conduct the election of the two inspectors.

The vigilance committee of their respective districts will give notice of the time and place of holding the said primary election, blanks and tickets for which will be furnished by the chairman.

The chairman calls attention to the method of holding the primaries, as laid down in the rules governing the same, especially sections 14, 16 and 23.

The election board, as soon as the polls are closed, shall proceed to count the votes polled for delegates, and the instructions for candidates, and after publicly announcing the result thereon, shall certify the same under their hands, on blanks to be furnished by the chairman of the county committee, and deliver the certificate to the delegates so elected, who shall deliver the same, together with any protest which any elector may file, to the chairman of the county committee, not later than 1 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, October 4, 1905, at Towanda, Pa.

The following are the names of the candidates who have complied with the rules of the Republican party of Bradford county and whose names will apear on the official ballot.

WILLIS G. GORDON, of Towanda Borough.

Members of the Vigilance Committees and Number of Delegates to be Elected.

J. ROY LILLEY, Chairman.

W. J. McCABE, Secretary.

1 Alba Boro.—Mell Northrup.
3 Albany Twp.—J. T. Hested. W. H. Layman, A. H. Terry.
1 Armenia—Frank Allen.
2 Asylum—A. L. Thomas. F. N. Kerrick, Paul Dailey.
4 Athens Boro., 1st ward—N. V. Weiler. A. E. Bressler, Frank Little.
3 Athens Boro., 2nd Ward—T. S. Newman. David Keefe, G. F. Macafee.
3 Athens Boro., 3rd Ward—H. C. Stonier. C. J. Vanderveide, Henry Saphar.
2 Athens Boro., 4th ward.
1 Athens Twp., 1st Dist.—Frank S. Merley. C. S. Page, Levi Ward.
1 Athens Twp., 2nd Dist.—M. E. Knight. T. O. Lindsley, Clarence Doty.
2 Athens Twp., 3d Dist.—James Mustart. Will B. Campbell, Fred Donlan.
1 Athens Twp., 4th Dist.—George D. McIntyre. Utley Teed, Fred Ellsbree.
2 Barclay—C. L. Fellows.
1 Burlington Boro.—A. P. Weldy. T. F. Lent, J. Scott Pultz.
3 Burlington Twp—E. A. Knapp.
2 Burlington West—L. M. Platt. A. T. Whitehead, E. C. Dickenson.
5 Canton Boro.—H. E. Griffin.
4 Canton Twp., 1st Dist.—T. S. Hickok. Eugene Landon.
1 Canton Twp., 2nd Dist.—Glenn Williams. J. R. Wright, G. D. Witherbee.
1 Columbia Twp., 1st D.—F. B. Watkins. W. D. Canfield, Geo. Bradford.
2 Columbia Twp., 2nd Dist.—F. R. Strong. John Wolf, W. J. Vickers.
1 Franklin—A. T. Morse. H. L. Crandel, A. L. Crandell.
4 Granville—Frank Ayers. Fred Jennings, Fred Saxton.
2 Herrick—W. L. Fuller. M. E. Overpeck, R. W. McPherson.
2 LeRaysville—S. B. Canfield. C. A. Carter, B. O. Codding.
3 LeRoy—A. T. Lilley. Ernest Holcomb, Thomas Mott.
2 Litchfield—J. E. McKinney. J. K. Munn, Allen Rogers.
2 Monroe Boro.—G. W. Klimer. D. L. Miller, E. F. Young.
2 Monroe Twp., 1st Dist.—E. W. Stevens. Roy C. Kellogg.
2 Monroe Twp., 2nd Dist.—I. L. Secor. E. B. Gilbert, A. V. Watkins.
2 New Albany boro.—L. F. Marcy.
3 Orwell—F. E. Lott. A. H. Daugherty, W. J. Hill.
1 Overton—A. J. Bird. H. H. Housekuecht, William Bird.
2 Pike Twp., 1st Dist.—E. J. Atwood. F. G. Rose, C. J. Ford.
2 Pike twp., 2nd dist.—P. C. Fassett. Seymore Canfield, A. G. Stephens.
3 Ridgebury—William Baldwin. John A. McKee, Burt Leonard.
1 Rome Boro.—H. H. Coleman. T. B. Barnes, C. H. Stone.
3 Rome Twp—Leslie Merrill. W. B. Barnes, J. H. Gillette.
4 Sayre Boro., 1st ward—M. H. Sawtelle. Thomas Maney, George Roberts.
4 Sayre boro., 2nd ward—E. J. Connelly. Charles E. Wolfe, Frank Pike.
2 Sayre Boro., 3d Ward—Robert W. Mathews. John Pritchard, John Young.
5 Sayre Boro., 4th Ward—Spencer Brougham. George D. Bonfoy, John D. Brainard.
4 Sheshequin—F. M. Vought. Isaac M. Thompson, S. B. Bidlack.
4 Smithfield—D. G. Smith. O. B. Summers, Floyd Tracy.
2 South Creek—A. H. Dean. Isaac Kiersted, I. J. Mahaffee.
2 South Waverly—Lee Northrup. Geo. English, John Quick.
3 Springfield—W. H. Boughton.
1 Standing Stone—Oscar Sage, N. W. Stephens, Fred Sage.
1 Sylvania Boro.—Frank H. Luckey. A. G. Cameron, G. H. Gustin.
3 Terry—G. M. Hoffman. B. R. Terry, George F. Horton.
3 Towanda Boro., 1st Ward—O. L. Smiley.
4 Towanda Boro., 2nd Ward.—Ed. Carter, Jr. Ernest Frost, W. G. Schrier.
5 Towanda Boro., 3d W.—F. R. Prince. Frances Johnson, C. S. Rogers.
3 Towanda Twp.—Lester L. Pierce. Frank H. Hagerman, Scott S. Watson.
2 Towanda North—G. H. Granger. Hartley Prince, U. M. Shutter.
4 Troy Boro.—H. K. Mitchell. H. M. Spalding. R. A. Burr.
2 Troy Twp—1st Dist.—James Mahood. John Hunt, F. M. Scott.
2 Troy Twp., 2nd Dist.—W. W. Brooks. J. A. Calkins, U. M. Verbeck.
2 Tuscarora Twp., Eastern D.—W. A. Bennett. George Lacey, Harry Clapper.
1 Tuscarora Twp., Western D.—Samuel Culver. A. B. Christian, Mason Browning.
3 Ulster, 1st Dist.—Robert Dixon. O. J. VanWinkle, James H. Howie.
1 Ulster, 2nd Dist.—Clyde Anthony. George W. Chamberlain, Jacob Vannoy.
3 Warren—D. A. Sleeper.
2 Wells—J. B. Lewis.
3 Wilmot—William Dull. Daniel Ely, L. M. Bahr.
2 Windham—Clyde Schneider.
2 Wyalusing Boro.—F. A. Strong. Oscar F. Brown, J. B. Lewis.
2 Wyalusing Twp., 1st D.—J. L. Elsworth. Alton S. Taylor, W. B. Dean.
2 Wyalusing Twp., 2nd. D.—Bruce David. G. N. Atwood, Frank Beaman.
2 Wysox Twp., 1st D.—Louis Piollet. B. J. Post, O. S. Overton.
2 Wysox Twp., 2d D.—Bird Shores.

Clerk's Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, William F. Baldwin and Mary A. Baldwin, trading as W. F. Baldwin & Co., of Canton, Bradford County, Pennsylvania, bankrupts as individuals and as copartners under Act of Congress of July 1, 1898, having applied for a full discharge from all debts provable against their estate under said Act, notice is hereby given to all known creditors and other persons in interest, to appear before the said Court at Scranton, in said District, on the 7th day of October, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted. EDWARD R. W. SEARLE, Clerk.

Misses' $1.50 shoes for $1.19 at the 2, 2½ and 3, Towanda, Pa.

Political Announcement.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Prothonotary subject to Republican rules. Primaries Saturday, Sept. 30, 1905.

W. G. GORDON.

Towanda, Pa., Aug. 30, 1905.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

The undersigned administrator of John H. Allen, late of Wysox Township, Bradford County, Pa., will expose to public sale at outery on the premises

Wednesday, October 4, 1905,

at 10 o'clock a. m, the following property to wit:—

All those certain lots, pieces and parcels of land situate in Wysox Township, Bradford County, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to wit:—

Lot No. 1. Beginning at the North-east corner of lot formerly run out to Napthaly Woodburn on Warrant Lot 152; thence south eighty-eight and one-fourth East and one hundred and thirty-four and 7-10 perches to a post; thence South one and ¾ degrees West thirty and 2-10 perches to a post; thence south seventy-two degrees west 60 and 3-10 perches to a post; thence south 20½ degrees west four perches to a post; thence south twenty-four perches to a post; thence north 43 degrees west one hundred and ten perches to the place of beginning. Containing thirty-three acres and forty-eight perches be the same more or less. Being the same land conveyed by Tracy F. Allen to John H. Allen by deed dated March 24, 1887, and recorded in Bradford County Deed Book No. 170 at page 434, etc.

Lot No. 2.—ALSO. Beginning at a white pine sapling in the Township line south west of the Taylor lot; thence by the west line of the same north 2½ degrees East fifty-five and 5-10 perches to a corner of H. L. Parks; thence by south line of same north 88½ degrees west fifty-seven perches to the north-east corner of William Conklin's lot; thence by the east line of the same south 2½ degrees west fifty-five and 5-10 perches to the said Township line; thence along the same south 88½ degrees east fifty-seven perches to the place of beginning. Containing twenty acres more or less. Being the same land conveyed by S. W. Allen and wife to John H. Allen by deed dated Oct. 28, 1887 and recorded in Bradford County Deed Book No. 193 at page 99, etc., with fame house, barn and other outbuildings thereon.

Terms of sale:—One-fourth of the purchase price to be paid in cash on the property being struck down and the balance on the confirmation of the sale and delivery of deed.

ALSO at same time will sell one-half interest in hay and grain raised this year.

P. E. WOODRUFF,
Administrator of John H. Allen, deceased.
Wysox, Pa., Sept. 6, 1905.
Lilley & Wilson, Attorneys.-13 Sep2t

Auditor's Notice.

Estate of John O'Brien Deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans Court of Bradford County to report distribution of the funds in hands of E. M. Tuton, administrator of the estate of John O'Brien late of the Township of Ridgebury, deceased, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the Borough of Towanda, said County, Pennsylvania, on saturday, October 7, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon when and where all persons having claims on the said fund must present them with proper proof or forever thereafter be debarred.

J. C. INGHAM, Auditor.

Sept. 9, 1905-4t

Auditor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans Court of Bradford County, to audit, settle adjust and report distribution of the funds in the hands of S. D. Sterigere, administrator of the estate of Susan Sharp late of Albany township, deceased, will attend to the duties of his aptointment at his office in Towanda Borough on Monday the 16th day of October, 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time and place all persons having claims upon said fund are required to present them for allowance, or be forever barred from coming in upon the said fund.

W. J. YOUNG, Auditor.

September 12th, 1905.-4t

$1.50 shoes for $1.19 at the 2, 2½ and 3, Towanda, Pa.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

Term of Troy Court.

Whereas, Hon. A. C. Fanning, President Judge of the Forty-second Judicial District has issued his precept bearing date September 21, 1905, to me directed, for holding a court of Quarter Sessions, Common Pleas and Orphans' Court at the courthouse in Troy, Pa., commencing

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1905,

and continuing one week.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that they be then and there in their proper person at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, with records, inquisitions and other remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertain to be done. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance agreeably to their notice.

Dated at Towanda the twenty-first day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand, nine hundred and five and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and thirtieth.

S. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.

NOTICE.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County, No. 78 Dec. Term 1905. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the said Court on October 16th, 1905, at 2 p. m., under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF LAQUIN, the character and object whereof is to carry on and support the public worship of Almighty God, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements. The proposed charter is now on file in the Prothonotary's office.

S. BERGEN PARK, Solicitor.

Sept. 21, 1905.-3w

Application in Divorce.

To Joseph H. Durling: In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford county, No. 115 May Term, 1905. You are hereby notified that Lucy C. Durling, your wife has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford county for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and the said court has appointed Monday, Oct 9, 1905, at the Court House in Towanda, for hearing the said Lucy C. in the premises, at which time and place you may attend if you think proper.

S. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.

Sept. 7, 1905.-4t.

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Benjamin Haythorn, deceased, late of Monroe Twp., Bradford Co., Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

MOSES WALTERS,
Aug 16, 1905.-5t* Administrator.

All kinds of children's shoes at the 2, 2½ and 3, Towanda, Pa.

Executrix's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of A. L. Gorsline, d ceased, late of Township of Wysox, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement. ESTHER GORSLINE,

Sept. 11, 1905. Executrix,
R. A. Mercur, Atty. Wysox, R. F. D. No. 11.

Reporter-Journal Patterns

From the Latest

NEW YORK FASHIONS

Pattern For a Pretty Little Gown Designed by Martha Dean—No. 4684

What a revolution has taken place in the fashions for the little ones! Now everything in the mode world makes for simplicity and comfort. Formerly child nature, with its activities, was not considered, and fashion's vagaries in the past have cost children many an hour of discomfort, but this is the period of emancipation, and Dame Fashion has been compelled to progress with the times. Now all is comfort, freedom, daintiness and smiles. Among the most becoming and simple of modes is the Russian dress. This one is made with three box plaits in front and back and closes under the center front plait. Almost any of the washable materials not too thin can be used in developing this design. A very attractive gown was made of white cotton voile, with collar and cuffs of many colored embroidery in cross stitch design, the upper edge of the hem being held in place by a similar design. Another of dark blue linen, with collar and cuffs of ecru embroidery, was dainty, yet would stand good wear between washings. The heavier materials, such as serge and challis, are always suitable to such designs. Sizes, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 12 years.

DIRECTIONS FOR ORDERING

Send 10 cents to this office, give number of this pattern, No. 4684, and state size desired. It will then be sent to you by mail postpaid. Be sure to write *plainly* and always give *full* address. Several days must be allowed for delivery of pattern.

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ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW.

Local Photographs of People Who Are Coming and Going.

Miss Alice DeLano of Elmira is visiting Towanda relatives.

Miss Duruz is visiting her brother in South Creek township.

Jay Allen has gone to Towanda to work.—New Albany Mirror.

Mrs. E. Miller of Williamsport, is spending the week in Towanda.

Miss Myra Chaffee of Towanda is a student at Bucknell university.

Miss Mary Pitcher of Ithaca, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Osborne.

Mrs. B. L. Fleming of Middleburg, Vt., is visiting in Monroeton and vicinity.

Miss Christine Eilenberger has returned from a visit with friends in Beaver.

John W. Smith of Troy is spending the week in Towanda with his sister, Mrs. J. J. Lynch.

Mrs. Sallie Putnam of Granville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert A. Myer, State street.

Mrs. William Elwell and Mrs. Funk of Bloomsburg, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Elwell.

M. J. Long spent Saturday and Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. W. B. Layton, at Galeton.

E. R. Selleck and wife of Granville, were guests of Mrs. Bessie Thurston at Monroeton, last week.

Miss Esther Bostwick and Miss Lillian Russell spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Athens.

J. J. Kirwin of the U. S. army hospital corps, stationed at Buffalo, is spending a few days in town.

C. Irvine Smith of Columbus, O., is visiting his mother, Mrs. G. S. Smith, Chestnut and William streets.

Randolph Smith leaves this week for Poughkeepsie where he will enter the Eastman Business college.

Mrs. Sarah Heath is at the home of her sister, Mrs. Julia Cox, South Main street, suffering with a broken wrist.

Miss Frances Chaffee, daughter of Dr. F. Chaffee of Towanda, has entered Bucknell university as a student.

Miss Bertha Scott of Mifflinburg and Miss Ruth Whitney of Rome were guests over Sunday of Miss Bertha Espy.

Department Commander J. Andrew Wilt reached home Thursday morning from the national G. A. R. meeting in Denver.

Arthur Jacobs of New York city, who travels for a western soap house, has been spending a few days in town.

Miss Gertrude Wilson, daughter of Rev. James Wilson of Buffalo, is visiting Miss Gertrude Schultz at East Towanda.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown of Jersey City, and Mrs. Jennings of Elmira, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clark Willson, North Main street.

Mrs. George Snyder and little daughter Julia, of Elwell, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vanness, at North Towanda.

Mrs. Calvin Fausey and Miss Anna Gibson of Towanda have been spending the week with Miss Grace Dimock, southside.—Owego Record.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles U. Ingham of Sayre, spent Sunday in Towanda. Mrs. Ingham will spend the week at G. T. Ingham's, North Main street.

Editor J. K. Smith of the Gorham, (N. Y.) New Age, is visiting here, the guest of J. D. Johnson and his grandchildren on South Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ridgeway returned home on Saturday from a visit with their son, Rev. Willis E. Ridgeway, at Highland Falls, N. Y.

Mrs. Ira E. Aldrich and sister, Miss Stella Rodgers, of Worcester, Mass., have returned to their home after spending several days in Towanda.

Harry S. Harden of New York city, formerly Lehigh Valley station agent at Towanda, has been spending a week with relatives in this section.

Philip Angle returned last week to Pittsburg where he is taking a course in mechanical engineering at the Western University of Pennsylvania.

Truman McIntyre of Portland, Oregon, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Charles Rutty, in Towanda. This is Mr. McIntyre's first visit to the East in 22 years.

Miss Elizabeth Jennie Boehm of Sayre, and Paul R. Vogel of Buffalo, were married at the bride's home on Wednesday evening of last week by Rev. I. W. Bingham.

Mrs. Edward Frost has as guests at her home on Pine street, Mrs. Davidson and Mrs. Day and little daughter of Baltimore. Mrs. Frost and Mrs. Davidson are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Marsh and Mrs. George Mathers of Wellsboro, came to Towanda on Saturday in a touring car, remaining at the Ward House until Sunday forenoon.

Charles E. Foyle, a machinist employed in the government naval gun works, Washington navy yard, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foyle, Third street.

Water Pipe Burst.

A water pipe in the rooms occupied by Dr. John D. Mercur over W. F. Humphrey's store, burst Sunday morning about 11 o'clock. The water wet both places considerably but did little lasting damage. It ran down into Mr. Humphrey's main store room but the goods reached were mostly in boxes and were not injured.

Colgrove—Hankinson.

Howard Colegrove and Miss Ines Hankinson, both of Rome, were married at the office of Justice John Meredith here on Saturday afternoon, the justice officiating in his usual fine [illegible]

DEATH ROLL OF A WEEK

Mrs. Margaret Leary.

Mrs. Margaret Leary died at her home in Ridgebury, Tuesday night of last week. She is survived by her husband, who is seriously ill; five brothers, Thomas, Michael, John, Dennis and William Leary; seven daughters, Mrs. Thomas Chambers, of Ridgebury; Mrs. Daniel Haragon, Mrs. Michael Horgan, both of Elmira; Misses Margaret, Julia, Hannah and Rebacca Leary; also three sisters, Mrs. Thomas Ryan, of Mt. Zoar Hill and Mrs. Julia Roberts and Mrs. Mary Leach, of Elmira. The funeral was held at the home in Ridgebury on Thursday.

Mrs. Louise Watkins.

Mrs. Louise Watkins died at her home in Athens on Friday evening of heart trouble, aged 53 years. She is survived by her father, Thomas Wood of Ulster, two sisters, Mrs. George Myers of Waverly, and Mrs. Brown of Austin, and one brother, Myron Wood of North Orwell. The body was taken to the home of Mrs. Myers at Waverly where funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Harriet L. Watkins.

Mrs. Harriet L. Watkins, a former resident of Austinville, died at Honeyoye, N. Y., on Sept. 15, at the home of her brother, Rev. Mr. Curtis. The remains were brought to Troy on Monday of this week for interment. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. William W. Kennedy of Springfield, and Mrs. Egbert Ward of West Burlington.

Aged Wysox Lady Dead.

Mrs. Elizabeth Pennel, widow of John Pennel, died at her home in Wysox at 12:45 o'clock on Thursday morning of paralysis. Deceased was 82 years of age, and is survived by four daughters and one son. Funeral services were hed on Sunday at 12 o'clock at the house, and 2 o'clock at Keene Summit church, where interment was made.

Critchfield Coming.

Hon. N. B. Critchfield, secretary of agriculture of Pennsylvania, has been requested to attend the Bradford county fair and he has consented to be present both Thursday and Friday. He may make a few remarks on Thursday but on Friday will give a more extended address along agricultural lines. Mr. Crittchfield comes here as the result of good work on the part of Hon. Frank N. Moore.

Champion Corn Cutters.

A. C. Vought, who is farming the L. A. Bosworth farm in the township, has without doubt one of the best fields of corn grown in this section this year. There are plenty of stalks with two or three full-sized ears on them. On Thursday Mr. Vought and Newton E. Allis in ten hours cut on this piece 223 stouts of 25 hills to the stout.—LeRaysville Times.

Bad Money at Sayre.

Chief Walsh of Savre has notified the United States Marshal of the circulation of some very poor counterfeit quarters and dimes in Sayre. Several have been taken in by the imitations. The men who passed them have left town.

"For Rent" cards for sale at this office.

PSORIASIS AND ECZEMA

Milk Crust, Tetter, Ringworm, and Scalled Head, and Every Form of Torturing, Disfiguring Humors from Infancy to Age.

CURED BY THE CUTICURA REMEDIES

The agonizing itching and burning of the skin, as in eczema; the frightful scaling, as in psoriasis; the loss of hair and crusting of the scalp, as in scalled head; the facial disfigurement, as in pimples and ringworm; the awful suffering of infants, and anxiety of worn-out parents, as in milk crust, tetter, and salt rheum—all demand a remedy of almost superhuman virtues to successfully cope with them. That Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills are such stands proven beyond all doubt. No statement is made regarding them that is not justified by the strongest evidence. The purity and sweetness, the power to afford immediate relief, the certainty of speedy and permanent cure, the absolute safety and great economy have made them the standard skin cures and humour remedies of the civilized world.

CAPT. GRAHAM'S CURE

Of Distressing Humour.

Captain W. S. Graham, 1321 Eoff St., Wheeling, W. Va., writing under date of June 14, '04, says: "I am so grateful I want to thank God that a friend recommended Cuticura Soap and Ointment to me. I suffered for a long time with sores on my face and back. Some doctors said I had blood poison, and others that I had barbers' itch. None of them did me any good, but they all took my money. My friends tell me my skin now looks as clear as a baby's, and I tell them Cuticura Soap and Ointment did it."

Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills are sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Boston, Sole Props. Send for "How to Cure Every Humour."

Men's $2 shoes for $1.49 at the 2, 2½ and 3, Towanda, Pa.

SALUTE TO THE FLAG BY SCHOOL CHILDREN.

How the G. A. R. Proposes to Instill Respect for Stars and Stripes.

Grand Army posts are urging the adoption of a uniform flag salute by the pupils of public schools throughout the United States and to instill patriotism in the children. The matter came up at the recent session of the National Encampment held in Denver and a very interesting report was read. Printed orders of exercises to be observed at the opening of each school day were adopted.

At a given hour in the morning the pupils are assembled in their places in the school. A signal is given by the principal of the school. Every student or pupil rises in his place. The flag is brought forward to the principal or teacher. While it is being brought forward from the door to the stand of the principal or teacher, every pupil gives the flag the military salute, which is as follows:

The right hand uplifted, palm upward, to a line with the forehead, close to it. While thus standing with the palm upward and in the attitude of salute, all the pupils repeatt together, slowly and distinctly, the following pledge:

"I pledge allegiance to my Flag and to the Republic for which it stands: One nation indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for All."

At the words "to my Flag," each one extends the right hand gracefully, palm upward, toward the flag, until the end of the pledge affirmation. Then all hands drop to the side. The pupils still standing, all sing together in unison the song "America,"—My Country, 'tis of thee."

In the primary departments, where the children are very small they are taught to salute in silence, as an act of reverence, unaccompanied by any pledge. At a signal, as the flag reaches its station the right hand is raised, palm downward, to a horizontal position against the forehead, and held there until the flag is dipped and returned to a vertical position. Then, at a second signal, the hand is dropped to the side, and the pupil takes his seat. The silent salute conforms very closely to the miitary and naval salute of the flag.

Principals may adopte the "silent salute" for a daily exercise and the "pledge salute" for special occasions.

ASPHYXIATED AT ATHENS.

Frank Hall of Wellsburg Found Dead at Hotel Campbell.

Frank Hall of Wellsburg died in his room at the Hotel Campbell at Athens Saturday night supposedly from asphyxiation as the gas burner was open and unlighted when his body was found Sunday morning.

Hall came down from Wellsburg Saturday evening to visit Emerson Smith with whom he had worked. Smith was not at home and Hall went to the Hotel Campbell about 7 o'clock and about midnight he was shown his room by Gus Hines, the clerk. Hines cautioned him, about blowing out the gas and after he left the room Hall locked the door. Sunday morning Sherman Dubois, son of the landlord, detected the odor of gas and burst the door of Hall's room open. He found the man lying on the bed cold in death.

Hall leaves an invalid wife and four children. He was an industrious man and well spoken of in the town in which he lived. The body was taken to Wellsburg for interment.

LACKAWANNA PRESBYTERY.

Rev. W. H. Sawtelle Elected Moderator at the Canton Session.

The Presbytery of Lackawanna met in the Presbyterian church at Canton on Monday evening of last week, and was opened with a sermon by Rev. W. R. Harshaw, D. D., of West Pittston, on "The Transfiguration."

Rev. W. H. Sawtell of Athens, was elected moderator and Rev. M. L. Cook temporary clerk. Rev. N. F. Stahl was dismissed to the Presbytery of Lehigh, he having accepted a call to the Memorial Presbyterian church of East Mauch Chunk.

At the Tuesday evenng session the Presbytery dissolved the pastoral relations between the church at Pittston and Rev. J. J. K. Fletcher, and adopted resolutions of confidence in Mr. Fletcher. Mr. Fletcher's resignation as pastor of the Pittston church came after trouble concerning his activity in prosecuting illegal liquor sellers.

The October Lippincott's.

The complete novelette in the October Lippincott's is "A Manila Madness." Its author is Frederic Reddale, whose earlier works, "The Other Man" and "A Transaction in Rubies," have also been brought out by this magazine. His latest production is primarily a mystery story possessing an intense love-interest. The plot is hatched at Manila, but quickly shifts to New York city for the scene of its unravelling. In his portrayal of the character feminine Mr. Reddale seems to be particularly felicitous, and in the dramatic situation he excels. Many short articles round out the number.

Death of Patrick Kane.

Patrick Kane, one of the oldest residents of Standing Stone township, died at his home on Sunday night of the infirmities of age. He was 80 years old. Funeral services were held on Wednesday at 1 o'clock at his late home, with interment in State Road cemetery.

Honor Pupils.

Those pupils who were neither tardy nor absent during the first month at the Betts school in Burlington were Elizabeth Heath, Alfred Norton, Ruth Wrisley, Alfred Wrisley, and Mahlon Wrisley. Mabel Bevan, teacher.

Ayer's

Impure blood always shows somewhere. If the skin, then boils, pimples, rashes. If the nerves, then neuralgia, nervousness, depression. If the

Sarsaparilla

stomach, then dyspepsia, biliousness, loss of appetite. Your doctor knows the remedy, used for 60 years.

"Returning from the Cuban war, I was a perfect wreck. My blood was bad, and my health was gone. But a few bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla completely cured me."
H. C. DOEHLER, Scranton, Pa.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for

Impure Blood

Aid the Sarsaparilla by keeping the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills.

COXTON COAL YARD

Two Hundred Additional Men Have Been Placed at Work.

The work of laying out the immense new Lehigh Valley coal yard at Coxton is progressing rapidly. The force of laborers at work daily runs up into the hundreds and is being increased by all the workmen the contractors can secure. Two separate colonies of Italians have sprung up in the vicinity of the work. In these about 200 or more Italians have their homes and will continue to live there unti the work is finished.

In addition to this about 200 workmen from Pittston have started to work in the yard. For the purpose of transporting these the Lehigh Valley is furnishing the contractors of the new yard, Smith & McCormack and P. T. McGowan, with an accommodation train, which started this morning. The train leaves the Water street station at 6:30 and on the return trip reaches the station about 6 o'clock. Owing to the fact that many workmen are temporarily out of employment here, caused by the shutting down of a colliery in the lower end of the city for extensive repairs, laborers are to be easily found.—Pittston Gazette.

Three Killed at Susquehanna.

Two men were killed and a third was fatally hurt in a collision between Erie passenger train No. 14 and a light engine one mile east of Susquehanna on Sunday night.

Both engines were turned over. As the train had just left the station it was not going at a high rate of speed and no cars were derailed. The collision was caused by an engine from a coal pocket making an attempt to cross the main line. Frank Robbins, of Susquehanna, engineer of the wrecked train, was killed. His fireman, whose name is O'Rourke, who also lived in Susquehanna, was under his engine. An Erie detective named Henstead was fatally injured by being thrown from the baggage car.

Typhoid at Norwich.

The health authorities of Norwich are alarmed at an outbreak of typhoid fever in that place. It is thought that the epidemic is caused by the recent floods in that section, washing impurities into the wells from which the afflicted persons obtained their drinking water.

Admitted to Practice.

D. J. Faninng and H. K. Mitchell, of Troy, interested in a Bradford county case which they came to Scranton to argue before Judge R. W. Archbald, were admtted to practice in the United States courts Friday.—Scranton Truth.

Buyers read the Reporter-Journal.

BURLINGTON MAN

Got Into Trouble at City of Binghamton Recently.

Fred Raymond, held at the jail at Binghamton on the charge of vagrancy, was released Sunday forenoon by the authorities. He was taken to Burlington, Pa. by a brother. Young Raymond was arrested on Thursday by patrolman Hanley after he had entered the officer's house and told Mrs. Haney that he had come home. Owing to the fact that he could not give a satisfactory account of himself, he was held on the charge of vagrancy.

When first arrested, Raymond had the appearance of imbecility, but it was thought the the condition was simply feigned. The brother of young Raymond stated Sunday that his unfortunate relative had been a brakeman on the Lehigh Valley railroad for several years; bore an excellent reputation; was a member of the Odd Fellows in good standing, and had a large sum of money on his person. Since that time he has been traveling about the eastern part of the State.

When picked up in Binghamton the young man was wandering about the streets, in a dazed condition. He had been ejected from several places and his arrest resulted after he had entered Patroman Hanley's home on the East side. The brother is mystified regarding young Raymond's present condition. It is feared that he has been the victim of foul play of some sort, but nothing definite can even be conjectured.

Raymond stated to a police officer Sunday that he is glad to be released from jail, but does not desire to return home.—Binghamton Republican.

Invitations Issued.

Mr. and Mrs. John Herbert Brown, of Cedar Ledge, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Louise, to Frederick Herman Opper, of Savannah, Ga., the wedding to take place October 11, at 6 p. m. Miss Brown is a popular and much liked young lady and Mr. Opper is one of the successful young business men of Savannah.

Appeared in Recital.

Miss Myra B. Smith and Miss Nina Hall of Towanda, took part in Prof. Horace Kinney's recital at Waverly last Saturday, each giving two very pleasing vocal selections. Prof. Kinney has had a large class during the Summer from Waverly, Sayre and Towanda. He returns to New York city this week.

Little Boy's Bad Injury.

The little three years old son of Harry Arnold, sexton of Riverside cemetery, got mixed up with a heavy lawn mower on Saturday and the middle finger of the right hand was almost completely severed at the second joint. The wound was promptly dressed and it is believed the lad will not lose the finger.

Letter to J. R. McKeeby.

Towanda, Pa.

Dear Sir: You know all about shoes. How many customers have you who know anything about 'em?

You have bought and sold shoes for years, and have learned what you know by your customers, liking one sort, and not liking another. They find out by wearing 'em.

So with paint; but we go deeper. We are 150 years old in the business, and we make, not buy—we make a good deal of paint.

We paint a good share of the railroad and steamer property in the United States, and may as well paint the private property. Yours as well as anybody else's.

Devoe lead-and-zinc is your paint. Costs half as much as mixed paint or lead-and-oil because it takes fewer gallons and wears twice as long.

Mr. Ezra Rathmell, Williamsport, Pa., used 11 gallons of a well-known mixed paint for his house; he repainted it with Devoe; bought 11 gallons and had 5 left.

Yours truly,
F. W. Devoe & Co.

Dr. H. C. Porter & Son sell our paint.

LEHIGH MEETING.

Items Discussed at Gathering of the Board of Directors.

The directors of the Lehigh Valley railroad met Sept. 20, at the general offices of the company, 228 South Third Street, Philadelphia. President Thomas said after the meeting that nothing but routine business had been transacted. Concerning the outook for business, Mr. Thomas asserted that there is every reson to expect unprecedented prosperity for months to come. He urged that every business man keep his head, refrain from inflating prices and success will follow.

Orders for steel rails and equipment for the Lehigh Valley for next year's needs have not been given, but the operating officers are at work on the requistion. The rails ordered for this year have not been used, but an early order for next year will be given. A considerable order for feight cars is contemplated. Mr. Thomas declined to discuss the probability of a strike in the anthracite field next April. He said: "Bridges are best crossed when one comes to them."

The Valley road has received another consignment of milk cars. It is the purpose of the company to foster this class of traffic and several additional trains may be put in service.

DEATH OF BARCLAY DUNN.

Prominent Farmer of Franklin Township Has Passed Away.

Barclay Dunn, for a number of years a resident of Franklin township, died at his home at Franklindale on Monday morning, aged 75 years, after a long illness. Mr. Dunn was born in Sussex county, N. J., Aug. 10, 1830, the son of William and Mary Yetter Dunn. As a young man the subject of this sketch boated on the Delaware & Hudson and Erie canals for 27 years, accumulating considerable money.

For four years after leaving New Jersey he resided in Carbon county, coming from there to Standing Stone township, this county, where he lived 19 years. He was married in 1851 to Sophia, daughter of Daniel and Ann Rough of Luzerne county. Mr. Dunn served in the various township offices with fidelity, was a member of the Grange and a Democrat in politics.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at his home.

Position in Boston.

James D. Humphrey has just secured the position of manager of the snoe lining marker department of the Sewing Machine Supplies company of Boston and he and his family expect to move to that city the latter part of this week. Mr. Humphrey is the inventor of three different shoe lining markers and two of these are manufactured by the house he represents.

Shoemaker After Them.

Patsey Decenlary, James Carlo, Dominic Muso, Dominic Vincrgucraa and Romolo Trownini, Athens Italians, were taken into custody Sunday by W. E. Shoemaker, deputy game protector, and his assistant LaSuer on the charge of violating the game laws. They pleaded guilty before Justice Tozer and the fines and costs aggregated $231.25.

A Boat Case.

Fred Johnson and Jacob Evartt, who are charged with the larceny of a boat and oars from William Heeman, had their hearings before Justice Orcutt Tuesday. Johnson was held in $100 bail, in default of which he was again committed to jail. Evartt was discharged.

Autos Running to the Fair.

An innovation in Towanda was the appearance Tuesday of ten automobiles on the street, brought here for the purpose of carrying passengers to the fair. These machines were run very successfully at the Mansfield fair last week.

Lost? Find it with a small ad.

DEATH OF MRS. TRACY.

Well Known Standing Stone Resident Passed Away.

Mrs. Emma Welles Tracy, widow of Henry W. Tracy, died at Ocean Grove from an acute attack of heart trouble during Tuesday night. Mrs. Tracy lived at Standing Stone but of late has been at Ocean Grove for her health which has been poor for some time. With her at Ocean Grove the past few days have been Dr. Charles Reed of Wysox and Miss Stella Reed of this place, and Mrs. Tracy's son Henry. Mrs. Tracy was born at Elmira April 13, 1844 and was the daughter of John Calvin and Jane Reed Welles.

She was a highly respected woman and was a member of Thomas K. Beecher's church in Elmira. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Elias W. Hale, Jr., and one son, Henry W. Tracy. Mrs. Hale was on her way to Denver when the telegram came announcing her mother's death. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Dr. Reed at Wysox; interment in the Wysox cemetery.

Lost? Find it with a small ad.

Ladies' $1.75 Shoes for $1.49 at the 2, 2½ and 3, Towanda, Pa.

WANT ADS.

Rates:—25 cents for first insertion under 50 words. One-half cent a word each time thereafter with minimum charge of 10c for the second consecutive insertion of any ad. These ads have brought great results in many cases. Try one.

FOR SALE.

FARM ¼ mile from Sylvania boro. on main road to Troy. 125 acres. Good buildings well watered, plenty of fruit. Terms to suit buyer. Inquire W. M. Hagar, Sylvania, Pa. S28sep*

FLAT Dutch cabbage. Wm. Martin, opposite J. R. Coolbaugh, Wysox. 21sep2t

THE H. W. WHEELER farm in Bulingon township containing one hundred and sixty acres good house and barn, plenty of wood and water, young orchard; will sell cheap for cash or part payment. Address, Mrs H. W. Wheeler, Columbia X Roads, R. F. D. 60, Pa. 15juntf

FOR SALE—Modern house and large lot on Fourth St., between State and Ward Ave. Inquire of Mrs. Julia Cullinan, Lombard St. 3novt

FRAZIER HOMESTEAD of 70 acres, three miles from Rummerfield, Wyalusing, Homet's Ferry and Camptown. Cheap for cash or time. Inquire of or address Guy C. Hollon, Towanda, Pa. 10dectf

TWO ADJOINING farms for sale on Vaughan Hill Wyalusing township. Pleasantly located at the forks of road about 2½ miles from Wyalusing, Camptown and Homet's Ferry; about a mile from creamery. One contains about 70 acres, has a house, barn, and orchard. The other contains 120 acres, has a fifteen room house, (been used for summer boarders) two barns, wagon house, fruit, etc. Terms easy; warranty deeds given. Inquire on premises or address Mrs. N. L. Hollon, Wyalusing, Pa. 26jantf

WANTED.

ORGANIZER wanted: Want a capable man or woman to organize new Walker Clubs of Ten in Towanda and vicinity; no selling; straight salary. We manufacture or import 150 household necessities such as Soaps, Teas, Coffee, Spices, Baking Powder, Toilet Articles, Pharmaceutical Preparations, etc., and sell our goods direct to families, and give valuable premiums free. Give age, references, experience and otner particulars. Address W. & E. Walker, Pittsburg, Pa. Founded 1837.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

STORE in Arcade block and fixtures. Inquire of S. J. Little. 20jly

The Men and Young Men Who Want Smart Fall Suits

will find here all the new fashions in single and double-breasted Sacks—smart, snappy styles—at prices that are as low as it is possible to sell really good clothing for. If you are hard-to-suit and hard-to-fit then we are most anxious to see you and show you the stylishly designed and artistically tailored

MICHAELS-STERN FINE CLOTHING

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